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PRODUCE

Values Harden
Improvement Seen
No Big Change Yet

The produce market has exhibited quite an active but by no means buoyant aspect, and values have hardened somewhat. This has not operated against the Shanghai, Tsingtao or Hankow markets, which report a fair volume of business. European consumers continue to take an interest in price fluctuations, while American consumers are also coming in and covering their requirements, although not quite generously, in contrast to their previous attitude. But despite this, we have not experienced a very large improvement in the turnover. In Shanghai the statistical position is causing much concern to the shippers, who cannot secure enough locally to make up the orders they have on their books. Arrivals are poor, while stocks are low in almost every instance. Until arrivals of cargoes from the interior come in force it would be idle to expect any very big change in the situation.

The outlook in Szechuen, which is certainly discouraging, is preventing the flow of sesamum seeds to this market and to Hankow. At any rate, things are better than a few weeks ago, and consignments are beginning to grow in size, which leads one to the hope that sooner or later the dealers who sold to the exporting houses here will be able to fulfil their contracts. Already, there is evident an earnest intention of carrying out the terms of the commitments, and deliveries are being made in part against contracts on which the dealers have pleaded *force majeur*.

The week's trading in sesamum seeds comprised some 700 tons done at prices ranging from Tls. 8.10 and Tls. 8.20 per picul, which, at the present exchange, just works into the sterling buying rate of European consumers. What London is offering now is £25.5s. to £25.10 per ton c.i.f. London.

While groundnuts have not been so continuously strong as in preceding weeks, there has been quite an active business, and the easier feeling of some days has been recovered, prices closing at the top. Unfortunately, Shanghai has done very little in this line since we last wrote on the subject, but Tsingtao has managed to bring buyers and sellers together on a workable basis. The London buying quotation is £22 up to £22.10 per ton c.i.f. London, with the selling rate in Shanghai about a pound sterling higher than the London level. At present Tsingtao and London values differ to the extent of only five shillings per ton, but this is easily bridged. The local rate is Tls. 7 per picul ex-godown.

In a week marked by extreme quietness in the groundnut oil section, this offering has carried along at practically unchanged prices. The Shanghai rate is considered too high, and the demand that exists for this oil from the United States and Europe is still unfulfilled. The Shanghai basis is Tls. 15 per picul, while European consumers are offering £2.9 per cwt. or Tls. 14.50 per picul. No business has been possible with the United States which is only giving the Shanghai holders G.$8.70 per 100 lbs. Stocks of this commodity in the local market are fair, and arrivals are coming in freely. From present indications it would seem that prices will harden. The Cantonese merchants have been making small purchases throughout the week.

In soya beans the tendency is weaker, due probably to the small demand for bean cakes. The Japanese buyers have withdrawn from the market, while in addition, the Dairen mart has slumped. Hankow beans are securable at Tls. 3.70 per picul and Dairen beans at Tls. 3.90 to Tls. 4.00 per picul. Consignments from Dairen are fair, but stocks locally do not amount to much.

Dealings in soya bean oil are limited to local needs. America has been showing no interest in this. The stocks in Seattle are stated to comprise a few lots held in bond which are to be had at around seven gold cents per pound, duty unpaid. For spot lots in sellers' tanks the quotation is 10 gold cents to 10¼ gold cents per pound, 11¼ gold cents for cooperage, and 7¾ gold cents for c.i.f. lots.

The Manchurian bean crop outlook gives indication of a crop which will almost equal last years. The crop in reality is below last season in yield but the increased area under cultivation will make up for this deficiency. The yield is put down at little over 15 million koku (one koku being equivalent to approximately five bushels).

It now transpires that the Japanese have been making large purchases of rapeseeds in the Indian market owing to their inability to secure this product in sufficiently large quantities from China. Their Indian buying rate has worked out to 170 yen per ton, while the quotation on the Shanghai market figures out to something like 11 yen per picul or 185 yen per ton. No business is reported locally in this.

Weather

Cold, but fine weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 53.8 and the minimum 43.3, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 57.0 and 30.9.

The Mail Box

MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Pres. Jackson, Dec. 15.
FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. Cleveland, 6.30 a.m. tomorrow.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Devanha, 10 a.m. today.
FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Paul Lecat, 4 p.m. today.

NO DECISION IS REACHED ABOUT GOAT GLAND CLINIC

Dr. Brinkley Arrives; Meets Local Doctors

SILENCE REIGNS

Medical Society Is Non-Committal On Reception

Whether Dr. John R. Brinkley, the famous goatgland transplanter, will hold a clinic for members of the Shanghai Medical Society at which he will demonstrate his method of grafting the interstitial gland of a goat into a human being, is still a moot question, according to information obtained by the THE CHINA PRESS last night.

Dr. Brinkley, who accompanied by Mrs. Brinkley and Dr. H. D. Osborne, his assistant, arrived in Shanghai on the President Jefferson on Sunday afternoon, held a conference with a number of members of the society yesterday afternoon in the offices of Dr. S. A. Ransom, president of the society, at 1 Canton Road, at the invitation of the doctors. In addition to Dr. Ransom and Dr. H. Lovett Cumming six or seven other physicians attended the conference but none had anything to say when they emerged after a two-hour discussion.

Dr. Ransom was called on an urgent case immediately after the meeting and although efforts were made to get in touch with him all evening he could not be reached.

Dr. Cumming, the secretary, was quite emphatic in declaring that he had nothing to say.

Dr. Brinkley likewise was noncommital, referring a representative of THE CHINA PRESS to Dr. Ransom, who, he said, would very probably make any statement necessary.

The conference in Dr. Ransom's office was held as a result of the extraordinary meeting of the Society at the General Hospital on Saturday afternoon when it was decided to invite the visiting surgeon to such a meeting before they accepted or declined his offer to hold a clinic at which he would demonstrate his operation. Both meetings were closed to the press.

Dr. Brinkley, immediately upon his arrival, went to the Astor House, where he is staying, and denied himself to all interviewers who desired information concerning his plans in Shanghai. Whether he held a clinic or not his stay here would be of short duration, he said, because Shanghai was only one place on an itinerary which included stops in Java, the Straits Settlements, India, Egypt and Europe on a trip around the world.

From Shanghai, he said, he would go to Peking, intimating that it was possible he would go to the capital to see the sights while the medical fraternity here was making up its mind as to whether a clinic would be held under their auspices.

In Luxor, Egypt, Dr. Brinkley expects to make an examination of the mummy of the ancient ruler of the Nile, King Tutankh-amen, in the hope of descovering some clue to Egyptian medical science that will be of benefit to modern medicine or surge

DUKE OF AOSTA ILL

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 9.—It is reported from Turin that the condition of the Duke of Aosta is extremely serious. The pneumonic processus has invaded the whole of the left lung and is threatening the base of the right lung.

Gland Surgeon

DR. JOHN R. BRINKLEY

HINDE TRIAL ON FRAUD CHARGE TO START TOMORROW

Judge Lobingier Sets Other Cases For Hearing

The trial of Edwin G. Hinde on charges of having obtained Tls. 5,810 from Miss Arra J. Wood, a teacher in the French School, by fraud, will be held in the United States Court for China before Judge Charles S. Lobingier tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The trial was set during the motion calendar yesterday afternoon when both U. S. District Attorney Leonard G. Husar and Mr. Snyder, Mr. Hinde's counsel, announced they would be ready for trial tomorrow.

Mr. Hinde is charged with having induced Miss Wood to leave two checks for Tls. 3,000 and Tls. 2,810 in his possession to be changed into gold at a favorable rate of exchange and with having appropriated the money to his own use instead.

At the same time Judge Lobingier set down several other cases for trial at early dates and then announced that no more cases would be set until after court convenes in January. The case in which the Asia Life Insurance Company is suing Mr. W. R. Rice, formerly their General Manager, for an accounting of his expenses in the United States was set for trial on December 20, and the case in which Mr. A. A. Tuomola is suing Mr. E. G. Hinde in a civil action was set for trial on December 27. The case of Liang v. Kosel was set for December 17 after the motion calendar, and the case of Henry v. Soochow Brick and Tile Company for an alleged breach of contract was set for December 31.

Yesterday's motion calendar contained little of public interest, most of the session being taken up with testimony of Mr. Gardner Crane, Mr. F. A. Bowen and Mr. C. S. Franklin concerning technicalities involved in the complications growing out of the failure of the Stewart-Crane Company, in liquidation. Most of the American lawyers in Shanghai are interested in one way or another in the matter and all had something to say on the question yesterday. No definite action was taken.

BALDWIN IS EXPECTED TO TENDER HIS RESIGNATION

Important Session Of Cabinet Council Is On

NO DECISION YET

All Parties Unwilling To Enter Into Coalition

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Dec. 10.—Premier Baldwin is expected to tender his resignation as premier tomorrow.

The London newspapers suggest that the King will ask former Premier Asquith to organise a new cabinet.

Former Premier Lloyd George declared today that the Liberals are unwilling to form a coalition cabinet.

The Liberal press expects Mr. Asquith, if he accepts the premiership, to dissolve parliament at once and order another election. This, it is pointed out, would be the only way to avoid dependence on a coalition.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 9.—It is understood that no communication passed between the political parties during the week-end though all party leaders have been carefully considering the new position. Everyone is keenly awaiting tomorrow's Cabinet Council which will virtually decide whether Mr. Baldwin will resign and whether a reconstituted Conservative Cabinet will attempt to carry on with a modified program and passive acquiescence of the Liberals.

Apparently there is no question of any fresh coalition with the Liberals or even active co-operation. There is much speculation in political circles tonight with regard to the possibility of the Conservatives declining to carry on the Government and advising His Majesty to summon Mr. Ramsay Macdonald. It is an open question whether Mr. Macdonald will at present accept.

Labor Averse To Liberal Coalition

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 8.—Major G. C. Tryon, the Minister of Pensions, headed the poll at Brighton, defeating the Liberal, Mr. Walter Runciman, by a majority of nearly 13,000.

While the question of the general policy of the Labor Party in view of the new political situation will be referred to a joint meeting with the General Council of the Trades Union Congress on Wednesday, a Labor official this morning denied that there was the slightest possibility of a coalition or a working arrangement with the Liberals. He said that Labor was quite content to continue as the official opposition with the added weight and strength that the election had given.

The results of the elections have admittedly shocked the Conservative supporters, causing acute anxiety among the Ministers. Callers on Mr. Baldwin at Downing Street this morning included the King's Private Secretary, Lord Stamfordham, Sir George Younger, Chairman of the Unionist Party, Viscount Long, Viscount Cave, the Lord Chancellor, and Sir Philip Lloyd-Greame, President of

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Coolidge To Be Candidate, Announcement At Capital

"I Wanna' Paddle My Own Canoe"

—Brown in Chicago Daily News

THRONGS WATCH FUNERAL PARADE OF GENERAL HSU

Progress Of Cortege Through Settlement Is Impressive Event

One of the most impressive funeral processions ever seen here took place yesterday when the remains of General Hsu Kuo-liang, assassinated several weeks ago, were removed from his yamen on the Nantao Bund to the Shanghai North Station, prior to shipment to Tientsin where burial will take place in the family mausoleum. The police forces of both the International and French Settlements participated, lending a great deal of pomp and color to the cortege.

Long before the hour of the funeral, Chinese and foreign spectators gathered at points of vantage to watch the event. The procession was scheduled to enter the International Settlement at 1 o'clock, but it did not do so until two hours later on account of the huge crowd that had lined the route, checking the progress considerably.

In recognition of the general's last wish, all the elaborate unnecessary details were left out. Eight mounted Sikh police headed the march abreast, barely having room enough between the avenue of spectators. Then followed the detachment of Chinese constables from the International Settlement, Nantao's cycle, mounted and armed police and a lengthy piece of scarlet silk on which was printed the full title of the late Police Chief.

Bands of the Constabulary, the Arsenal, the Lunghua Orphanage and the Chapei Benevolent Institution were placed at even sections of the procession, which was made up mostly of troops of the Shanghai Defence Commissioner, mounted and otherwise, 400 gendarmes, Annamites and Chinese constables of the French police, scrolls, banners and embroidered umbrellas and chairs. One of the latter contained the blood-stained clothes which the general wore at the time of the assassination.

In accordance with Northern rites, a large number of "paper willow branches" were carried in front of the coffin, which was conveyed to the station on an army gun carriage driven by eight members of the Shanghai artillery. A similar number of army officers walked beside as honorary pall-bearers.

The mourners and a host of friends brought up the rear of the procession. The train conveying the remains of the general left for Nanking last night.

MURDERS MAN HERE FOR $1.60; DEATH PENALTY

Coolie Confesses To Slaying Of Fellow Lodger

The sum of $1.60, subscribed by six persons, was the price put upon the life of Dau Ah-yoong, according to testimony of his murderer taken in the Mixed Court yesterday.

Dau was found unconscious and lying, after having been hacked with a chopper, on a piece of vacant ground off Kwenming Road on November 11. Following the publication of reports in the Chinese newspapers, his body was identified by a brother and police investigation developed the fact that two other coolies, Ting Ah-man and Wong Ke-yeu, who had been living with the deceased in a house on East Hanbury Road, had disappeared. Then Dau's brother received a letter purporting to come from his brother and to have been posted in Ningpo stating that the writer had left Shanghai and would not be back for some time.

A few days ago Ting was located and arrested and from him it was learned that Wong had been sentenced to a month's imprisonment by the Mixed Court on November 16 for larceny. Questioned by the police Ting admitted having committed the crime and yesterday repeated his confession, implicating Wong as an accussory after the fact.

Six persons had come to him, Ting said, and asked him to assault and beat up Dau because the latter was continually trying to extort money from them. They gave him $1.60, which sum, he explained, he had since spent in smoking opium. He lured Dau to the lonely spot off Kwenming Road under the pretext that they were going to commit a theft and there, by the side of a grave mound, struck his companion over the head with a bamboo chopper. Dau, though badly hurt, managed to wrest the weapon from Ting's hands, but Ting recovered it and struck the wounded man again and again. Ting gave a graphic description of the fight to Detective Sub-Inspector Quayle after his arrest and said that when Dau finally lay mortally wounded and groaning on the ground, he kicked loose a quantity of earth and crammed his victim's mouth with it. The other accused, Wong, he said, was not actually present, but was nearby and knew of the crime.

The Court, Assessor Whitemore and Magistrate Li, ordered Ting sent to the Arsenal for execution and sentenced Wong to two years' imprisoment, to be followed by expulsion from the Settlement.

MORE MEXICAN TROOPS REVOLT; SOME GIVE IN

Big Federal Force Converges On Rebel Center At Vera Cruz

(BY UNITED PRESS)

New York, Dec. 9.—The severe censorship which has been imposed by Mexico makes it impossible to estimate the exact extent of the revolution there.

The rebels are reported to have capturred Jalapa, but they were defeated near Vera Cruz, it is said.

(Reuter American Service)

New York, Dec. 10.—A despatch from El Paso says that direct rail communication between Juraez and Mexico City has been severed through the rebels blowing up the line at Canitas.

(Reuter's American Service)

New York, Dec. 9.—It is reported from Vera Cruz that the revolutionary forces have captured Jalapa.

(Reuter's American Service)

Mexico, Dec. 8.—It is reported that 28,000 Federal troops are converging on the Vera Cruz revolutionary zone. President Obregon has issued a manifesto terming the revolt a conspiracy against the common people.

(Reuter's American Service)

New York, Dec. 8.—The Mexican Government has stopped code telegrams to and from Merico via Galveston and is strictly censoring plain language messages.

(Reuter's American Service)

San Antonio, Dec. 9.—General Estrade with two out of four of the regiments at Guadalajara City has joined the revolt but the rebel General Fiquerroa in the State of Guerrero has now surrendered.

PRESIDENT WILL SEEK REPUBLICAN NOMINATION

'Close Friend' Makes Statement Of Candidacy

NO DIRECT WORD

Rival Candidates To Follow Suit, Belief

(Reuter's American Service)

Washington, Dec. 9.—The President's close firend, Mr. Stearns, announces that President Coolidge will be a candidate for the Presidency next year.

Mr. Stearns's announcement is expected to serve for the time being instead of a direct personal statement from President Coolidge himself.

The announcement has not caused any surprise. Friends of the President have been urging him for some time to make the position known and it had already been planned to have his candidature indicated in response to the recent unanimous declaration to support him by the South Dakota Convention.

It is expected that the announcement will immediately affect the plans of the other prominent Republicans, such as Governor Pinchot, Senator Watson and others reported to have been considering entering the race for the Republican nomination.

(EXCLUSIVE CHINA PRESS)

Jackson, Miss. Dec. 10.—The Mississippi Republican State Committee today endorsed Calvin Coolidge for the Republican nomination for President. The committee's action binds the state's delegates in the next Republican convention to vote for Mr. Coolidge. The move will materially assist Mr. Coolidge in being nominated, but will mean little in the election itself as Mississippi is one of the strongest Democratic states in the 'solid South'. In the last election President Harding polled 11,576 votes as against Governor Cox's 69,277.

COOLIDGE FOR BUSINESS PLAN TO AID GERMANS

(Exclusive China Press)

Washington, Dec. 9.—Any aid to Germany should be furnished on a business rather than a charity basis, President Calvin Coolidge believes.

The President's views were stated after a conference with the German ambassador held yesterday at the White House.

It was indicated that President Coolidge would not favor an appropriation for relief such as that suggested in the bill introduced by Senator Irvine L. Lenroot of Wisconsin, who asked that Congress vote $20,000,000 for immediate relief work in Germany.

RADIO PHONES SPAN ATLANTIC; PACIFIC NEXT

Two-Way Communication With Britain Established By U. S. Amateurs

(BY UNITED PRESS)

Hardford, Conn., Dec. 9.—Wireless amateurs in America and England today succeeded in establishing two-way telephonic communication which was maintained for a period of two hours.

The conversations were clearly heard and the service was in every way reliable. The wavelength was 100 meters.

It was announced that amateurs affiliated with the Radio Relay League have the intention of making this service between Great Britain and America permanent and later expanding it so as to reach Asia from the American continent.

U. S. Seeks Trade Pact With Dutch

(Reuter's American Service)

The Hague, Dec. 8.—Acting on instructions from Washington, the United States Minister has approached the Dutch Foreign Minister with a view to opening pourparlers on the subject of a new treaty of amity and commerce on a most-favoured nation basis. The Dutch Government has agreed in principle and negotiations are expected to open shortly.

Negotiations have already been opened with a view to settling the question of the carriage of intoxicating liquors in Dutch vessels in American waters.

Good Morning—How're You Feeling?

Anything the matter with you physically? Are you a newcomer and anxious to know how best to take care of your health while here?

In answer to a general demand THE CHINA PRESS is inaugurating beginning next Sunday a daily and Sunday service of free and authentic medical advice. This is not a syndicate service from home. We have engaged the services of an eminent Shanghai physician who will answer questions and give advice dealing not only with general health subjects but will be ready promptly to answer questions having to do with ailments peculiar to Shanghai and vicinity.

You may begin writing your letters of inquiry right now. The first answers will appear next Sunday, and after that both daily and Sunday.

Address your letters to Medical Department. THE CHINA PRESS.

Take Evidence Concerning Child Labor Conditions

The Child Labor Commission which has been appointed by the Shanghai Municipal Council to enquire into the Conditions of Child Labor in Shanghai and the vicinity, and to make recommendations to the Council with reference thereto, is now engaged in taking evidence. All persons whether employers workmen or others who are interested in this question and who can give information thereon are invited to communicate with the Secretary of the Commission. Communications should be addressed to:—Mr. Jas. W. Fraser, Secretary, Child Labor Commission, Co., S. M. C. Secretariat.

Royal Dutch Co. Votes Dividend

(Reuter's Service)

The Hague, Dec. 8.—The Royal Dutch Petroleum Co. has declared an interim dividend of 10 per cent.

MANY ARRESTED IN NEW GREEK ROYALIST PLOT

Plan To Overthrow Garrison At Athens Bared By Seizures

(Reuter's Service)

Athens, Dec. 9.—Two persons were killed and 20 injured today in turbulent demonstrations following a mass meeting of Royalists.

(Reuter's Service)

Athens, Dec. 9.—It is officially stated that the discovery of a fresh Royalist revolutionary plot has resulted in many arrests including retired officers. Metaxist agents have recently been very active in military circles. They hope to win over the garrison in Athens, contrive to overthrow the revolution, create internal troubles and bring about foreign intervention. The conspirators were provided with ample funds which they used for propaganda. Compromising documents and large sums of money were found in the possession of those arrested.

Many Economies Effected In Italy

(Reuter's Service)

Rome, Dec. 8.—In the Senate today the Minister of Finance showed that great improvements in the national finances were in process. Commitments during the first five months of the current fiscal year were not only substantially below the estimates but the receipts were substantially higher. The Minister estimated that the deficit for the fiscal year 1924 1925 would be over 700,000,000 lire as compared with an actual deficit of 3,000,000,000 lire for 1922-23. He quoted figures showing that the deficits in connection with railways were rapidly diminishing and also referred to the general improvement in economic conditions. Unemployment had now been reduced to the normal limit and the time lost through strikes was only 247,000 days last year as compared with 8,000,000 days the previous year.

Dutch Schooner Is Held As Rum-Runner

(Reuter's American Service)

New York, Dec. 8.—Coastguards seized the Dutch schooner Zeehond today off Fire Island on a charge of violating the prohibition laws. She had 7,500 cases of champagne and other liquors aboard.

Many Russians Begging In Peking

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 10.—The Peking press is calling the attention of the Metropolitan Police to the large number of destitute Russians begging and peddling in the streets and calls on the police to co-operate with local charitable institutions to relieve the immediate needs of these unfortunates.

Turn First Sod For French Club

The first sod for the new French Club was turned on Sunday morning by M. Wilden, the French Consul General, in the large plot of land adjoining the Verdun Gardens. Mr. R. Fano, made a short address on behalf of the Club, which was responded to by M. Wilden. After the first sod was turned all present drank the Club's success in champagne.

Baldwin Expected To Tender His Resignation

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the Board of Trade, after which Mr. Baldwin went to Chequers for the week-end.

It is learned that the Prime Minister is taking the situation calmly and that he will do nothing until the meeting of the Cabinet. It is expected in some quarters that he will resign the leadership of the Party, in which event a Party meeting would be summoned early next week to appoint a successor. The names of the Earl of Derby and Mr. Austen Chamberlain are already mentioned.

Mr. Ramsay Macdonald received an ovation from a crowd on his arrival at Paddington. There were cries of "The future Premier!"

Interviewed, the Labour leader said that he was not surprised at the results of the election. Only the attitude of the news papers made him uncertain, as Labour had latterly not been supported except by its own paper. The feeling of the workers towards the press was very bitter. He seriously asked the newspapers to reconsider their attitude. He added that the Party might have dropped the capital levy but it was not seeking to snatch seats. It was building on sure foundations to be ready when the time came. "Our task at present is to educate opinion. The results indicate that we are succeeding."

The election at Fermanagh resulted in the re-election of the Nationalist, Mr. T. J. S. Harbison, and of Mr. Cahir Healy, the Sinn Feiner, by majorities of 6,000 over two Conservatives. Mr. Healy is at present interned.

Europe In Fear Of Lloyd George Again

(Reuter's Service)

Rome, Dec. 8.—The Giornale d'Italia states that the European Governments are somewhat worried over the results of the British elections as they foresee the reappearance of Mr. Lloyd George, though it is difficult to see how he can ally himself with Labor.

Defeat Is Due To Curzon, Say French

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 8.—Commenting on the results of the British elections, the London Daily Mail says: "Without any doubt one of the principal causes of the defeat of the Conservatives is the fact that Mr. Baldwin had allowed Marquess Curzon to found his policy on a hostile attitude towards France. We warned him before the elections that he would thus lose the votes of hundreds of thousands of Conservatives. In many cases seats must have been lost owing to Conservatives abstaining from voting."

According to the London correspondent of the Temps, it is believed that Mr. Baldwin will resign from the leadership of the Conservative Party but not from the Premiership. There will be neither a Conservative-Liberal coalition nor a Liberal-Labour coalition. On the latter point the Labour Party is absolutely firm and will not have an understanding which, according to Labour, would have the first effect of destroying its party. Whatever may be, the Temps adds, the Government which will take charge of the conduct of affairs in Britain until the first Budget at the end of March, that Ministry will only exist through the tolerance of the two parties opposing it.

The Journal des Debats considers that Mr. Baldwin has lost the game in which he imprudently engaged in face of the present discontent of the Labour party. Besides the electors knew that the Conservative party itself was divided on the two capital questions, that of tariff reform and that of relations with France.

Generally the French newspapers reserve forecasts of the constitution of the new Government, which they hope will maintain good relations with France.

The German press is delighted at the results of the British elections.

The Lokal Anzeiger says: "If the Conservatives had triumphed it would have been a terrible blow to German foreign commerce." The journal hopes that Mr Lloyd George will be included in the new Cabinet.

The Berliner Tageblatt also hopes that Mr. Lloyd George will succeed in creating a Liberal-Conservative coalition.

Vorwaerts rejoices at the march forward of the British Labour party.

The votes were divided as follows: Conservatives 5,417,000; Liberals 4,254,000; Labour 4,477,000.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 10.—London University has returned the Conservative, Sir Sydney Russell-Wells by a majority of 1,444 over the Liberal Professor A. F. Pollard. Mr. H. G. Wells (Labor) was at the bottom of the poll.

Garage Company Charges Manager With Embezzlement

Dai Sung-nyi, described as business manager of the Universal Motor Car and Body Works, 41 Avenue Edward VII, appeared before Assessor Martin and Magistrate Kwan at the Mixed Court yesterday on charges of having embezzled $1,045 preferred by Mr. Mark L. Moody.

Mr. Snyder, appearing for the accused, asked a remand and bail. His client, he declared was a partner in the business and under British or American law could not be guilty of embezzlement. Mr. Rodger, for the complainants, submitted that the defendant was only a shareholder, and that he had mortgaged his shares.

The case was remanded one week, bail being set at $1,500.

WU SENDS ENVOY

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 10.—Military circles report that General Wu Pei-fu has despatched a member of his staff to Changsha in an effort to induce General Chao Heng-ti to persuade the provincial authorities to cancel their autonomy.

WOMAN CHARGED WITH ILLTREATING 10-YEAR-OLD GIRL

Burns And Needle Pricks Alleged By Child

Another case of cruel illtreatment of a little slave girl by her mistress came to the attention of the Mixed Court yesterday when a woman named Ngauh Dzung-sz, living at 870-A Peking Road, was charged before Assesso. Martin and Magistrate Kwan.

The girl, ten years old, had bruises about her body and Sub-Inspector Moore, who prosecuted for the police, drew the court's attention to wounds on her hands which he declared had been inflicted with a needle. The girl stated that her mistress had beaten her repeatedly with sticks of firewood and moreover, had burned her.

Mr. Sung, appearing to represent Mr. Kentwell, who is defending, asked for a remand and for bail. Sub-Inspector Moore objected to bail being allowed. Mr. Sung said that the woman's husband was a merchant, but Sub-Inspector Moore declared that the man was not her husband.

The Court remanded the case until tomorrow, the accused to remain in custody. The girl is being cared for at the Door of Hope.

In a similar case which came before the court a few days ago Assessor Martin delivered himself of some stinging remarks regarding the illtreatment of slave children and the woman in the case, who claimed Portuguese protection, was later ordered by the Portuguese Consular Court to pay a fine of $500 or go to jail for six months.

Troops On Trail Of Lao Yang-Jen

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 10.—General Hsiao Yao-nan has informed the Government that one brigade of troops from Hupeh and Honan are being despatched in pursuit of Lao Yang-jen, whose scattered remnants are now at Chengking-cheng.

Expulsion Orders In Ruhr Revoked

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 8.—A total of 192 cancellations of expulsion orders have been granted up to today by the French authorities, 105 for private persons and 87 for officials. Eighty-nine suspensions of punishment have also been granted, 43 to industrialists, 16 to workers or employees and 30 to officials.

In the occupied territory, as a result of arrangements previously concluded, new agreements have been signed between German industrialists and the Allied authorities for delivery of paper.

Pact With Russ Approved By Italy

(Reuter's Service)

Rome, Dec. 9.—The Senate today approved the decree which has already passed the Chamber of Deputies, giving full effect to the preliminary agreement between Italy and Russia, signed on December 16, 1921.

Italy Protests On Raids On Missions

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 9.—It is reported that the Italian Legation has lodged a complaint with the Waichiaopu in regard to outrages committed by Chinese troops on Italian missions in several parts

REMIT TEA DUTY

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 10.—It is understood that the Shuiwuchu has telegraphed to the Chairman of the Shanghai Tea Traders' Association saying that the remission of the export duty and the fifty percent reduction in likin dues on Chinese tea will be continued till the end of 1925.

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INCREASE IN U. S. DEFENSE FORCE URGED BY PERSHING

Bigger Army And Navy Are Essential, He Says

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Army Of 150,000 Men Is Absolute Minimum

(Exclusive China Press)

Washington, Dec. 9.—General John J. Pershing, chief of staff of the United States Army, reporting to Congress the state of the national defenses, declares that the problem of maintaining adequate defense forces should receive the most thoughtful consideration of all.

"I fully appreciate the need for economy," General Pershing wrote, "but the state of the national defense at the present time is wholly inadequate."

General Pershing urges that an army of at least 150,000 men and 12,000 officers be maintained and that annual maneuvers on a moderate scale be encouraged. He also asks that the national guard be developed to a strength of 250,000 men.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 9.—The Matin learns from Washington that General Pershing in his annual report recommends that the Regular Army shall be brought back to the original figure of 150,000 men instead of 126,000 men and insists on the creation of a corps of officers in peace-time.

Aquitania Delayed By Bandit Search

(Reuter's American Service)

New York, Dec. 8.—The departure of the Aquitania for England was delayed for three-quarters of an hour today while a strong force of police searched the vessel for wanted men in connection with the recent murder of a bank messenger. Every passenger's face was examined without result. Two Italians were subsequently arrested at Hoboken, one of whom is believed to have fired the shots. The other is detained as a material witness.

U. S. And Germany Frame New Treaty

(Reuter's American Service)

Washington, Dec. 8.—A new commercial treaty between the United States and Germany has been signed and will shortly be submitted to the Senate for ratification. The treaty will replace the pre-war pact between the two countries.

Ex-Crown Prince Wins Land Title

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Dec. 8.—The Court of Justice here has pronounced judgment against the Prussian state in its suit brought against the former German Crown Prince. Under the terms of the decision the former Crown Prince is given full title to the property on his Silesian estate at Oels.

Oregon Baby Has 56 Young Foster Mothers

(Exclusive China Press)

Corvallis, Ore., Dec. 10.—Rowen Robert, aged eight months, will have 56 young women as foster mothers before the present school year ends at Oregon Agricultural College, for he is the living subject of experimentation in the "practice house." Reared by science since he came to the practice house last April, Rowen Robert now weighs something over 17 pounds. The care and feeding of this baby are in the hands of girl students, under the direction of Miss A. Grace Johnson, professor of household management.

Two groups of eight girls live in the practice house every school term. They receive practical training in every branch of household activity, including that most important one—raising a child.

Wedding

LEVY-ELIAS

Ohel Rachel Synagogue was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Sunday afternoon, when Miss Vera Elias, daughter of Mr. R. H. Elias, became the bride of Mr. S. E. Levy, son of the late Mr. E. S. Levy and Mrs. Levy. The ceremony was solemnised by Mr. Rabbi Hirsch, and N. S. Levy. The Synagogue was decorated with palms and flowers.

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a Jenny gown of ivory satin embroidered in silver, with a design of crystal beads, with a train of voile de soie embroidered in silver and crystal attached to the shoulders. The wedding veil was of tulle fastened with a wreath of orange blossoms and the bouquet carried by the bride was of white roses and ferns. The matron of honor Mrs. Ellis Hayim, sister of the bride wore a Lanvin gown of white moiocain crepe embroidered in crystal and jet with streamers of cerise ribbon and a picture hat of black. Miss Annie Gensburger the bridesmaid, wore a quaint early Victorian gown of gold lace, set off by a cap of the same rich material. Her flowers were yellow roses. The page boys were Masters Dickie and Georgie Hayim, nephews of the bride, and Master Hayim Abraham.

The groom chose for his best man, Mr. S. David, and Messrs. Lawrence Kadoorie, E. Gensburger, E. Ezra and L. Saphiere acted as ushers.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at Irene Lodge, 8 Seymour Road, where a large number of friends gathered to offer congratulations Mr. G. S Moss, H. B. M. Consul, acted as toastmaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Levy left Sunday night for Hankow for their honeymoon trip, the bride wearing a brown costume and hat to match.

POST IS ABOLISHED

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 7.—It is officially announced that the Government has abolished the post of Military Commissioner at Shihheh, Hupeh Province. Henceforth the Military Commissioner at Ichang, General Lu Chin-shan, will be in control of military affairs of Shihheh.

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TRADE MARKS LAW AWAITING O.K. OF POWERS

Time Limit Set By Peking Expires But Measure Is Unapproved

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 7.—The period of notice given by the Chinese Government for the application of the Chinese Trade Marks Law, when it was published in May last, has now expired and the situation is still unsatisfactory. The foreign Powers have not expressed their compliance with the regulations which officially are still under consideration by the various Governments.

As the result of inquiries in the various quarters concerned, Reuter's Agency learns that there is little if any dissatisfaction with the regulations themselves. Indeed they are generally described as revealing a real attempt on the part of China to place this old vexed question on a satisfactory footing. Some irritation was caused, however, by the manner in which the Ministry of Commerce introduced the law. It was not communicated to the Diplomatic Body before promulgation. This was a departure from the procedure usually followed by the Chinese Government in measures directly affecting foreigners.

The position at present is that while the Chinese Government has established bureaux in various centers at which foreign firms are asked to register their trade marks foreigners still adhere to the treaties whereby their trade marks are registered with the Customs authorities at Tientsin and Shanghai. Thus two departments are dealing with the same thing.

With regard to the necessity for foreign co-operation in making effective from the international standpoint, emphasis is laid upon the need for foreign recognition of this law so that foreigners who infringe its provisions may be amenable to punishment by their own courts. Until the law has been accepted by the foreign Powers as applicable to their nationals its action can only be one-sided.

Customs Official Leaves £220,118

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 8.—Mr. D. M. Henderson, late of the Chinese Maritime Customs, left £220,118.

Ichang Opium Tax Yields $10,000 To $15,000 Daily

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Ichang, Dec. 1.—It is stated that the opium tax office is now very busy and that something like $10,000 to $15,000 is being drawn every day. It requires almost this sum to bring the revenue up to the amount that was expected to be raised yearly. Another office has now opened and an interesting proclamation has been issued, stating that orders have been received from the Military and Civil Governors of the Province to the effect that the Police and the Magistrate should jointly establish "The Opium Prohibition Investigation Office." As a matter of fact this office will sell licences to anyone for the transport of opium within the bounds of the Ichang jurisdiction for 12 cents an ounce. Reuter's correspondent saw a receipt for this tax, which stated that the bearer had 80 ounces of Szechuen "goods" for which he had paid the tax of $9.60, and he was at liberty to have these "goods" transported to any place within the borders of the district governed by Ichang without official interference.

A man was executed here a few weeks ago and his head afterwards exposed to the public as a warning to evil-doers.

The official who ordered the execution, the military man in charge of the "Joint Army Office for General Control" stated that the man had been convicted of robbery and had misrepresented himself to be a soldier, as he was dressed in soldier's uniform to carry out his ill-deeds. Another story, unofficial but more likely, is that he was really a soldier and his offence was that he had gone on board a passenger steam launch which plies between here and Shasi, and tried to steal opium which had paid the duty, thus interfering with the business of the "Joint Army Office."

Very little news is available here with regard to the fighting in Szechuen. It appears, however, that the armies have now left the river banks. The Szechuenese are reported to have assembled very large forces and there seems to be a prospect of some very bitter fighting. Meanwhile General Wu Pei-fu's steamer is busy carrying ammunition up to Wanhsien for the use of the Northern expedition. Most of it is brought up by steamer from Hankow and one vessel recently brought some 200,000 rounds from Hanyang Arsenal.

The larger steamers have all made their last trip to the gorges and the Robert Dollar II left here for Shanghai yesterday. The Shu-Hun also made a trip when the water was becoming very low, but now with a water mark of 5' 6" it is not likely that even she will attempt another run. There are several small winter ships on the run, and they are doing very well, as there are passengers as well as freight to transport. There are already seven ships here for the winter service and more being built at Shanghai are expected to arrive shortly.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 7.—The Government has given instructions to the Special Commissioners to complete their investigations into poppy cultivation by the end of this year. Their report is to be sent to the Secretariat of the League of Nations.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 10.—General Wu Pei-fu, acknowledging the Government's instructions, says that he will do his utmost to eradicate the cultivation of traffic in opium in the Provinces which he controls.

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FELLOW ALUMNI ASK RELEASE OF BANDIT CAPTIVE

Efforts for the immediate release of Mr. S. S. Keh, engineer of the Shangtung Railway who was captured recently by Shantung bandits, were asked in a telegram sent on Sunday to the Minister and Vice-Minister of Communications and the Military and Civil Governors of Shantung by the local Alumni Club of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, of which the victim was a member.

The message was despatched following a meeting of the club held at the Oriental Hotel, Nanking Road, on Sunday and was signed by Mr. V. Fong Lam, president, and Mr. E. C. Holbook, secretary.

FLOODS IN ITALY

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 9.—It is reported form Rome that as a result of floods the industrial district of San Bartolomeo is partly inundated. The hill of San Paolo is surrounded by water.

Co-Defendants With Amakasu Acquitted

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Dec. 8.—The three gendarmes, who were on trial with Captain Amakasu and Sergeant Mori, were acquitted.

An appeal against the sentences may be entered within three days.

When sentence was pronounced on Amakasu and Mori one of the audience threw a log at the judge and another called out an epithet. Both were arrested.

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MORE RUMORS IN PEKING ON PREMIERSHIP

Constitutional Party Of The Lower House Holds Conference

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 7.—Mr. Kao Ling-wei, Taili Premier, did not attend the meeting of the Cabinet yesterday afternoon, over which Dr. Wellington Koo presided. Mr. Cheng Keh, Minister of Justice, was also absent. It is reported that Mr. Cheng was attending a meeting of the Hsienchengtang or Constitutional Party of the House of Representatives. It is stated that nothing of real importance occurred at the meeting of the Cabinet. As regards the meeting of the Parliamentary Constitutional Party, well informed Chinese circles state that the question of Mr. Sun Pao-chi's appointment as Premier was discussed, together with the right of Mr. Wu Ching-lien to continue as Speaker of the House. According to one report it was resolved that the Government's supporters in the House should leave on future occasions if Mr. Wu retained the Chair, while another describes yesterday's meeting of the Tang as the beginning of a straight issue between Mr. Kao Ling-wei and Mr. Ching-lien. One of the reports is accompanied by the assertion that Mr. Wang Fah-chi urged the introduction of a bill to appoint a Provisional Speaker of the House at the next session, on the ground that Mr. Wu is no longer competent to act.

Philippines Savant Given U. Of. C. Post

(EXCLUSIVE CHINA PRESS)

Berkely, Cal. Dec. 10.—It was unofficially announced today that Dr. Merrill, head of the Bureau of Science at Manila, had been chosen as dean of the College of Agriculture of the University of California. The regents of the University are expected to make definite announcement on Tuesday.

Dr. Merrill has just passed through Shanghai en route from Manila to San Francisco. When he left Manila it was rumored that he had been offered the important post and that he would resign from the Bureau of Science at Manila and accept the Berkeley position after his arrival in the United States.

Dutch Worried By Advance Of Germans

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 9.—The Amsterdam Telegraaf is anxious over the penetration of Germans into the markets and factories of Holland. It states that the majority of Dutch enterprises are employing German engineers to the detriment of Dutch engineers.

Russian Baltic Squadron May Leave

(Nippon Dempo)

London, Dec. 4.—A Copenhagen dispatch says that the Baltic Squadron of Russia will shortly weigh anchor for Constantinople, on a cruise to Vladivostok by way of the Suez Canal. The report is not as yet officially confirmed, and the Press is giving publicity to it with reserve.

Japanese Factories Wrecked By Blast

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, Dec. 9.—This morning, a powder-magazine at Ohji exploded, reducing three blocks of factories to ashes. The cause of the explosion is now under investigation.

AWARDS ARE MADE

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 9.—The formal distribution of prizes for colonial expansion took place on Saturday at the Sorbonne under the presidency of M. Poincare. The Grand Prix was awarded for 1923 to M. Chomere, Councillor of

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News Brevities

The magnificent funeral of ex-Premier Chow Tze-chi, who died on October 21, took place in Peking Saturday.

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All passengers landing in Manila must be vaccinated against smallpox, according to a ruling which is again being enforced by the Insular health authorities.

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Mr. William Stewart of the staff of the China Light and Power Company, died in the French Hospital at Hongkong recently of heart failure.

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The body of B. M. Cox, a sailor on the U.S.S. Pillsbury, was found in the Pasig river at Manila last week. Because of a bruise on the forehead it is surmised he was knocked in the head and thrown in the river while either dead or unconcious. Cox was a native of Meridian, Mississippi.

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The death has just occurred in Hanoi of M. Saulais, late editor of the Echo de Tientsin. M. Saulais came to China in 1908 and was connected with the Tientsin French paper for 15 years.

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Mr. Frank Williams, formerly manager of the Tientsin office of the American Trading Company, has returned to Tientsin from the United States as agent for A. W. Olsen, Inc. of New York.

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Mr. A. B. Calder, formerly in the United States diplomatic service in Switzerland and Russia, and later in the Peking office of the American Commercial Attache, has just returned to the Far East from a stay in America to take charge of the branch office in Kobe of the American Commercial Attache, replacing Mr. Steintorf, who has sailed for America.

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Mr. K. P. Chen, General Manager of the Shanghai Commercial Savings Bank of Shanghai is now in Peking. The Bank has recently established in Tientsin a new branch office with Mr. Hsi as the manager. A site has already been acquired for the Bank's Tientsin branch. Mr. Chen plans to build on it next spring.

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Mr. A. E. Eastes, British Consul at Amoy, has left for Ichang where he will relieve Mr. E. W. P. Mills, who is going on leave, Mr. W. M. Hewlett, who has been on furlough, will take charge of the Amoy consulate.

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The engagement is announced of Mr. R. Gartner of Tientsin and Miss Antonia B. Haas of Peking.

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Madame Lu Siao-sz, wife of the Director of Military Rehabilitation of Chekiang, died at her Hangchow home on Thursday, according to a telegram received here. General S. G. Lu, son of the director, has left here for Hangchow.

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232 bales of raw silk, 47 bales of wild silk and 297 bales of waste silk were shipped from Shanghai to Marseilles and ports on the M.M. steamer Angkor, December 7.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Parkes were passengers on the s.s. Soudan for Bombay.

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The operator of an opium den at Y284 East Yuhang Road was sentenced to three week's imprisonment by the Mixed Court yesterday. Another man arrested in the place, who claimed ownership of some opium seized, was fined $10 and six others $3 each.

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A fourth member of the gang of six armed robbers who raided 22 Alabaster Road and got away with $2,000 in money and jewelry, last January was arrested by the Municipal police Saturday and was charged at the Mixed Court yesterday. Three men have already been sentenced and the remaining two are now believed to be in Yangchow and despatch warrants for their arrest were ordered issued yesterday. The man arrested Saturday, who admits guilt, was remanded in custody until December 21.

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Mr. J. Buckley was elected president of the American Association of Kobe at the annual meeting just held. Members of the Executive Committee elected were Dr. A. G. Boyer, Dr. H. W. Myers, Mr. P. M. Bennett, Mr. J. H. Dowling, Mr. E. W. Latie, and Mr. M. L. Snow.

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United Press telegrams, which appear exclusively in THE CHINA PRESS in Shanghai, are now appearing in the Japan Chronicle, the leading British newspaper in Japan. The Chronicle reprints the United Press telegrams appearing in THE CHINA PRESS as well as our exclusive telegrams under the credit line of China Press Service.

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Captain W. A. Worton of the United States Marines arrived in Shanghai on the President Jefferson on Sunday en route to Peking where he will be an attache at the American Legation.

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The Shell Transport and Trading Company, Ltd. have declared a dividend at the rate of 2s. per share free of income tax payable January 5, according to a cablegram received from the head offices in London yesterday

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The Bamboo Club will hold its usual monthly get-to-gether on Thursday evening.

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A large silver plaque was presented to Mr. Roy Anderson by ex-captives of the Shantung bandits at a tiffin at the home of Mr. Carl Crow on Sunday. Mr. Anderson took the leading part in securing the release of the captives and the plaque, similar to those presented to Mr. S. T. Wen and Mr. Crow, was given Mr. Anderson in appreciation of his services.

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Announcement has been cabled of the birth of a son, James A. Thomas, Jr., to Mr. and Mrs. James A. Thomas at New York City on December 10.

Popular Skipper Goes On Leave

Captain Joe Micio, of the Standard Oil Co.'s upper river steamer, Mei Chuen, is leaving Shanghai on the President Taft on long leave which he will spend in Philadelphia.

Captain Micio, who is one of the most popular and best known skippers on the Yangtsze, has been decorated by the Chinese Government with the Chi Hao. He is also entitled to wear the Fourth Class order of the Crown of Siam, both medals having been given him for assisting in saving life.

Pattison To Go On Trial In Tientsin

An American official will arrive from Tientsin today to take Alfred P. Pattison back to the Northern city for trial on the charge of embezzlement. Pattison was arrested here on November 10, on a warrant issued by the American Consulate-General in Tientsin, charging him with having embezzled Tls. 10,000 for the compradore of Pattison and Company, a firm he organised. U. S. District Attorney Husar received a telegram from Tientsin on Sunday informing him they were sending a man from Tientsin for Pattison that night.

Coal Production In France Exceeds Pre-War Figures

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 8.—The newspapers note that for the first time since the war the monthly production of the French coalmines exceeded the pre-war figures. The total production in October 1923 was 4,403,685 tons as against 3,689,558 tons in October 1913. This situation is due, firstly, to the great efforts made in the Nord and Pas de Calais coal basins to reconstruct the devastated districts and, secondly, to the efforts in the Centre and South coal fields and in the mines of Lorraine.

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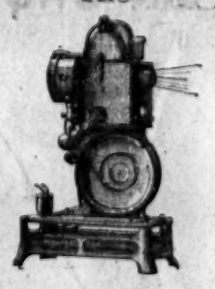
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Italy Barred From Parley On Tangiers

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 9.—The French Government has sent a friendly message advising the Italian Government that it has not appeared possible to grant the desire, expressed by interested Governments, to be represented at the conference on the status of Tangiers, the conference, moreover, being only the result of the negotiations begun in 1912.

Metal Industry In France Shows Gain

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 9.—Senator de Jouvel in a speech today recalled that the metal industry in France, which had an output before the war of 5,000,000 tons, can now produce more than 11,000,000 tons.

Election Reacts On Stock Exchange

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Dec. 10.—The Stock Exchange today reflected the general disappointment over the outcome of last week's general election. Rails, oils and many foreign securities were sold off.

PHYSICIAN TO BRITISH RULER DIES IN LONDON

Sir Frederick Treves, Serjeant Surgeon, Had Operated On King Edward VII

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

London, Dec. 10.—The death is announced of Sir Frederick Treves, Serjeant Surgeon to the King, at the age of 70.

Sir Frederick Treves performed the operation upon King Edward VII on June 24, 1908. He was Serjeant Surgeon to his late Majesty, Surgeon Extraordinary to Queen Victoria (1900-1) and Surgeon in Ordinary to Queen Alexandra.

The late Sir Frederick was one of the founders of the British Red Cross Society and the first Chairman of the Executive Committee. He was also Chairman of the Radium Institute.

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Tingle And Matty Smith To Clash In Main Event At Friday's Boxing Show

Conqueror Of Garcia To Meet Former Australian Overseas Champion; Wilson And Toledo In Semi-Final; Good Prelims

Sam Davis, official go-between for the local wham-wham boys, announced last night that Friday's main event at Louie Ladow's Punching Pagoda would be a twelve round affair between Billy Tingle, winner of last week's main bout, and Cap't Matty Smith. He also announced that the semi-final would bring Wilson, the new welterweight champ, and Toledo together. In addition there will be a curtain raiser and three good prelims.

That listens like a good card. Everybody knows what Billy Tingle can do, but Matty hasn't been seen in action for a long time; not since he fought Sailor Chadwick at the Stadium several months ago. Since then a lot of new boxing fans have been unearthed and these naturally will be anxious to see the former Australian army champion in action. Matty has been training hard for several weeks and is in tip top condition for a hard battle.

In Matty Smith Billy will find a tough opponent, and one who is as well versed in the fighting game as he is himself. Matty has been fighting for 13 years—ever since 1910—and in that time he has engaged in two hundred and fifty three ring battles. Of these he won 74 via the knockout route, being flattened himself only five times in the same period. In twenty-six of his battles the decision went against him, while in the remaining two hundred and twenty-two he either won the referee's verdict or the fight was called a draw.

BEGAN IN U.S.

Matty has fought in numerous countries, including America, Canada, Australia, England, France, Egypt, Mexico and China. For several years he took on all the fast, tough boys in his weight division in such cities as Milwaukee, St. Louis, Denver and Kansas City. One year he was in the Pacific Northwest, where he fought nearly every week.

In 1915 he enlisted with the Australian Overseas forces at Sydney, and sailed soon afterward with his regiment for France. While in the army Matty took on any number of soldier boxers from his own and other armies, and in these bouts he invariably was returned victor. No less a personage than "Papa" Joffre remarked, after witnessing one of the bouts in which Matty participated, that if all the men in the Allied forces were as good as the Australian champion, and if armies fought with their fists instead of guns, the Germans would have been licked in a week.

Matty has boxed in exhibition matches with all the good little men whose names are now prominent in the flatic game, including Jimmie Wilde, Willie Ritchie, Owen Moran, Eugene Criqui, Freddie Welch, Johnny Kilbane and Jem Driscoll. At one time he was attached to Jack Dempsey's training camp, the heavyweight champ using him to develop his own speed.

So it will be seen that in this bird Billy Tingle, wise head that he is, will meet his match in ring craft. Billy will have to give away weight when he fights Matty Friday night, but against this handicap is the fact that he is considerably younger than Smith.

TO BE GOOD BATTLE

It will be a ripping battle; from all indications as good or better as the one last Friday when Tingle and Garcia clashed. Matty showed in his bout with Sailor Chadwick at the Stadium last summer that he still has the old speed, and while he hasn't been fighting as much as Tingle recently he has been training hard and will enter the ring in first class condition.

The semi-final bout, with Wilson and Toledo in the points, also will be good. This will be a better scrap to watch than the one last week when Wilson mixed with Battling Kyko. Wilson and Toledo are of about the same size and general build, each packs a wicked punch, and both are fast for men of their size. Their argument should be a hair raiser.

The preliminary card has not been arranged yet, although Kid Carletos may be seen in action again. The Kid, it will be recalled, is the youngster who put up such a sterling battle against De Dios at the Stadium the first time they met, and who certainly would have had a draw if in the final of their 12 round bout he had not made a foolhardy attempt to break Faustino's knuckles by hitting them with his chin. The Kid is a fast and willing performer and is sure to provide a treat for the boxing fans.

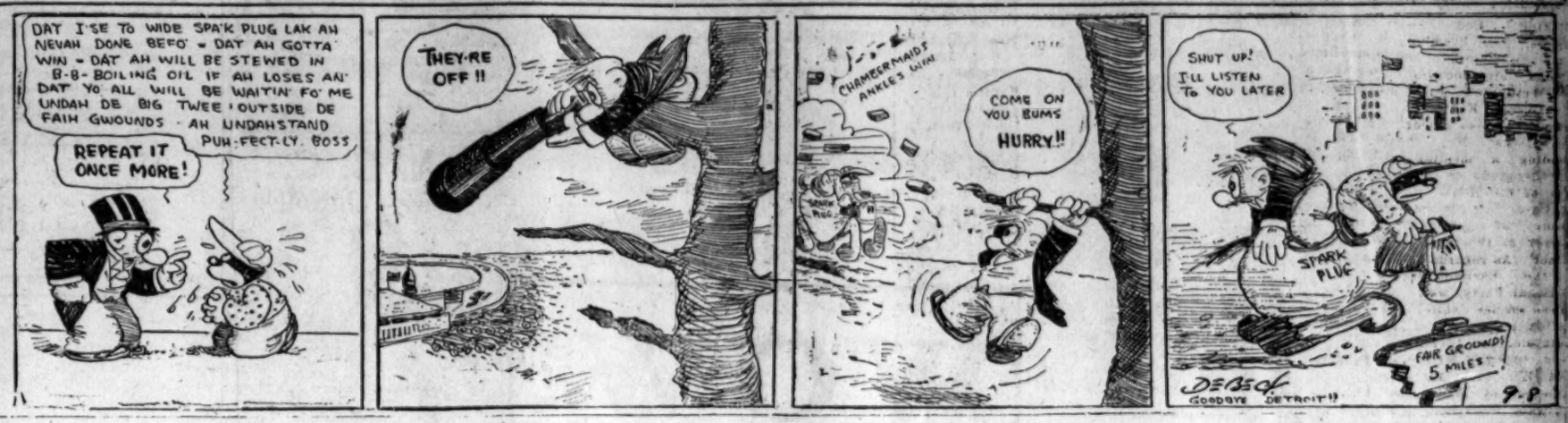
Tigora, too, feels that he was cheated last week, seeing that Treadwell, the fire-and-fall-back performer, didn't last out the first round, and he is clamoring for a chance at bigger game. Tigora has shown wonderful improvement in the short time he has been here and promises to make it hot for any opponent that Sam can dig up for him. He particularly wants another crack at Garcia, as he feels that given another chance he could take Lenardo over the jumps.

A GRUDGE FIGHT

But keep your eye on this Tingle-Smith party. That is going to be a fireworks special and no mistake. These boys are not the best of friends, Matty, particularly, having what he thinks is a well founded grudge against Billy. It seems that when Billy appeared here for the first time he saw Matty sitting in the first row, ringside, and turned to ask him what Matty thinks was a sneering question. "What are you doing here, Matty," he asked, "trying to pick up some pointers?" Matty was greatly peeved at that, and turning to some friends who were with him he remarked that if he ever got that guy (meaning Tingle) into the ring there would be a picking up all right, but that the ones principally interested would be Tingle's seconds and the house physician. Matty evidently has been adding fire to this grudge ever since, for last night, when Sam told him that Dr. O'Hara would referee he fired back: "Good, he'll need a doctor when I get through with him!"

So far the boxing at the New Carlton has not been self supporting, and in an effort to remedy this state of affairs Sam said last night that for the Tingle-Smith fight the first two rows, ringside, would be reserved at ten dollars a seat, with the next five rows at five dollars, and all the other seats in the house at three dollars. Reserved seats will be on sale today at Moutries.

BARNEY GOOGLE By Billy De Beck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LADIES' GOLF CLUB TITLE WON BY MRS. COOPER

She Defeats Mrs. Tweedie Stodart At Kiangwan, 5 And 4

The final match of the Shanghai Ladies' Golf Club championship was played yesterday at Kiangwan, the finalists being Mrs. J. S. Cooper and Mrs. Tweedie Stodart, the last named being the 1922 title holder. Yesterday's play resulted in a victory for Mrs. Cooper, who won the match on the thirtysecond green, 5 up and 4 to play.

The final was a 36 hole match, played under almost ideal weather conditions. A slight wind swept the course, but it was not strong enough to interfere with the play.

Mrs. Cooper, who is a newcomer to Shanghai, played an excellent game, her drives being straight and true. Mrs. Tweedie-Stodart, on the other hand, found great difficulty in keeping out of the bunkers, her shots finding the hazards as though drawn by a magnet. As a result she found herself five down at noon, and the way Mrs. Cooper was going this was a severe handicap.

Undaunted, however, she started off on the afternoon round in a very determined manner and succeeded in halving eleven of the final fourteen holes played. The match ended on the long fourteenth—the same hole that saw the finish of the Mens' championship round some time ago.

Mrs. Cooper, the new champion, is a fine addition to the list of women golfers in Shanghai. She has a very fine swing and gets good distance with her woods and equally good direction with her irons. In addition to winning the championship she won the season's medal round at Kiangwan, her gross score being 83.

Ladies' Golf Club November Results

The result of the Competitions for the Month of November are as follows:—

Season Medal:—(Kiangwan) Mrs. J. S. Cooper 83-12-71.

Sprat Competition. (Kiangwan) Mrs. Ryde 17 Sprats, 2nd Mrs. Enticknap with 16 Sprats.

Bogey Competition. (Kiangwan) was tied for between Mrs. Enticknap and Mrs. Ryde with 5 down. The tie was eventually won by Mrs. Enticknap 6 down.

The Club Foursomes (Kiangwan) Mrs. J. S. Cooper and Mrs. Taylor. Club Cup Shanghai. There was no Competition for this owing to insufficient entries.

Four Basketball Games On Tonight

Four basketball games are to be played this evening, two in the Foreign and two in the Chinese League. At five thirty the Wanderers will meet the Bowside quintet, and at six thirty the Wildcats will clash with the Rowing Club. These two games will be played at the Rowing Club.

At eight o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, the Fuh Tan team will play the All-Whites. This game should be a hummer, inasmuch as these two teams are at the top of the league. The second game will see the Amateurs and the All-Blacks in action.

Last night in the foreign league, the Blizzards forfeited their game to the Squires Bingham Co. team by not showing up at the scheduled time.

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NORTHERNERS PRESS ONWARD TO CHUNGKING

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 10.—Foreign telegrams report that the Northern forces are progressing towards Chungking. General Yang Sen, leading Szechuan, Kweichow, Chihli and Hupeh forces, has reached Fengtuhsien, while his main force has occupied Chungshow. Meanwhile a Kweichow column, commanded by General Yuan Tsu-ming, is also marching on Chungking and has reached Tienkang and Lunshui, which it has occupied.

The Northern troops are well-supplied with arms and ammunition whereas the defenders are short of both.

While the whereabouts of General Liu Tsung-hou, whom the Szechuanese recently drove to the Shensi border, are unknown it is believed that he is leading a third column to Chengtu.

'Twentieth Century' Wrecked; 9 Killed

(Reuter American Service)

New York, Dec. 9.—Nine persons were killed and 5 seriously injured in a collision between two passenger trains on the New York Central Railroad near Buffalo this morning, the dead including the well-known baseball player "Wild Bill" Donovan.

(Reuter's American Service)

New York, Dec. 9.—Thirteen were reported killed and 15 injured on the New York Central Railroad at Erie, Pennsylvania, today. The second section of the "Twentieth Century," the fastest express in America struck a motorcar at a level crossing and was held up. The third section crashed into the stationary train and telescoped three of the rear carriages.

Peking Financier To Visit America

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 7.—Mr. Wu Ting-chang, Former Vice-Minister of Finance and now President of the Salt Bank, will leave shortly for America to study banking conditions in the United St...

Small Turn Out At Small Bore Shoot

The December Spoons were shot for on Saturday and Sunday in wretched weather which resulted in a very small turn out of members. The shoot was 10 rounds on 2 bull match targets at 50 yards.

"A" CLASS

H. W. Lambert	95*
W. T. Rose	93
A. M. Collaco	93
F. E. Hodges	91
H. G. Mende	88
V. Sharman	87

*Wins Spoon.

"B" CLASS

Mrs. C. Knight	95*
C. J. Knight	89†

*No competition.
†Less than 30 percent of class.

"C" CLASS

No competition.

"D" CLASS

H. Clariet	76*

*Wins spoon on Avg.

Members are reminded that the Club has the use of the ranges on Saturday and Sunday next. The new rifles should be in hand by then, and as general practice and unlimiteds are the program, this should be a good chance to try out the new rifles in readiness for the January competitions.

China Takes Part In Geneva Parley

Geneva, December 9.—The International Conference on Communications closed today. Mr. Tcheng Loh, the Chinese Minister to Paris was present. China was re-elected by a vote of 26 to serve on the advisory committee, on which her delegates sat previously. The five proposals made by China at the conference were adopted in principle.

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London, Dec. 8.—Association Football.

English League—First Division

Birmingham 0, Everton 1.
Blackburn Rovers 2, Arsenal 0.
Cardiff City 4, Nottingham F. 1.
Chelsea 1, Preston N. End 2.
Huddersfield T. 3, Sunderland 2.
Liverpool 2, Sheffield United 3.
Middlesbrough 0, Aston Villa 2.
Newcastle United 2, Burnley 0.
Notts County 2, Manchester C. 0.
W. Brom. A. 4, Tottenham H. 1.
West Ham United, 0, Bolton W. 1.

League Standing.

Team	P.	W.	L.	D.	P.
Cardiff City	18	10	1	7	27
Aston Villa	20	8	3	9	25
Huddersfield T.	18	10	4	4	24
Everton	20	9	5	6	24
Bolton W.	20	7	4	9	23
Sheffield U.	18	8	4	6	22
Newcastle U.	19	9	6	4	22
Sunderland	19	9	6	4	22
Blackburn R.	18	8	5	5	21
Notts County	18	7	4	7	21
Tottenham H.	18	6	5	7	19
Manchester C.	18	7	5	6	19
W. Bromwich A.	18	6	7	5	17
West Ham U.	18	5	6	7	17
Liverpool	18	6	8	4	16
Burnley	18	4	7	7	15
Arsenal	18	5	8	5	15
Chelsea	19	3	9	7	13
Nottingham F.	18	4	10	4	12
Birmingham	19	2	10	6	12
Middlesborough	18	4	11	3	11
Preston N. E.	18	2	11	5	9

Scottish League—First Division

Clyde 1, Ayr United 0.
Dundee 0, Partick Thistle 0.
Falkirk 1, Hibernians 1.
Hamilton A. 2, St. Mirren 0.
Hearts 0, Aberdeen 1.
Kilmarnock 1, Celtic 1.
Morton 1, Clydebank 0.
Raith Rovers 2, Airdrieonians 0.
Rangers 1, Queen's Park 0.
Third Lanark 2, Motherwell 1.

League Standing

Team	P.	W.	L.	D.	P.
Rangers	17	12	1	4	28
Celtic	18	8	2	8	24
Raith Rovers	17	9	4	4	22
Airdrieonians	18	8	4	6	22
Partick Thistle	18	9	7	2	20
Aberdeen	18	8	6	4	20
St. Mirren	17	7	5	5	19
Kilmarnock	17	7		4	18
Hearts	18	6	6	6	18
Third Lanark	16	8	8	0	16
Dundee	17	6	7	4	16
Hibernians	18	5	7	6	16
Clyde	18	5	8	5	15
Queen's Park	17	6	9	2	14
Motherwell	17	6	9	2	14
Hamilton A.	17	6	9	2	14
Clydebank	18	5	9	4	14
Falkirk	18	5	9	4	14
Greenock M.	19	6	11	2	14
Ayr United	17	3	8	6	12

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American Co. Uses Springfield Rifle

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Some of our members have done remarkably well with the Springfield Rifle in S.R.A. Shooting, but the scores made on this occasion show that we need lots of practice in Service Conditions before we shoot our Classification Course for Record. However, Lt. Sauer, Cpl. Varney and Cpl. Tinkham deserve special mention for their fine scores. The results follow:

"A" CLASS

	Practice 9	10	11	
Lieut. Sauer	25	15	15	55
Cpl. Varney	25	15	15	55
Cpl. Tinkham	20	15	15	50
Pvt. Hutchinson, W.	15	12	12	39
Capt. Olsen	15	12	6	33
"B" CLASS				
Pvt. Hutchinson, T. H.	20	9	9	38
Pvt. Dayton	15	9	12	36
Sgt. Kay	15	6	9	30
Pvt. Boutross	20	9	0	29
Pvt. Portrude	10	9	9	28
Pvt. Hamilton	10	0	12	22
Pvt. Thompson, D.	10	6	0	16
Pvt. Benard	0	9	3	12
Pvt. Hourihan	0	3	3	6
"C" CLASS				
Cpl. Frick	15	0	15	30
Pvt. Fairfield	10	6	9	25
Pvt. Lynch	15	0	0	15
Pvt. Howe	0	3	3	6

Light Horse Hold Monthly Shoot

The Light Horse shot for the December Monthly Cup Last Sunday. Conditions were fair in the morning, but in the afternoon the light became bad and it started raining. The best scores returned in each class were as follows:

Practice

"A" CLASS

	12	13	16	H'cap	Total	
Cpl. Millington	17	33	31	—	81	(a)
Tpr. Elliot	15	28	33	—	76	
S/M. Dalgarno	16	26	27	—	69	

"B" CLASS

Cpl. Newbigging M.C.	20	29	28	—	77	(b) (c)
Tpr. Braad Sorensen	17	31	29	—	77	(c)
L/C. Fiddes Wilson	15	28	29	—	72	

(a) First leg on Cup. Spoon. Future Handicap 3½ %.
(b) First win. Spoon. Future handicap 3½ %.
(c) Tie for highest score, Cpl. Newbigging wins on count out.

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Prince Regent To Be Married On February 1

(*Nippon Dempo*)

Tokio, December 5.—It has been informally decided that the marriage of H. I. H. the Prince Regent will take place on February 1, next year. The Municipality of Tokio will celebrate the event in as simple and impressive a manner as possible.

Shanghai Rifle Ass'n Monthly Circular

MONTHLY COMPETITIONS

First—Friday, Dec. 14, from 6:30 to 8:30 a.m. Range 500 yards.

Second—Friday Dec. 21, from 6:30 to 8:30 a.m. Range 600 yards.

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ATTENDANCE CUPS

Following are the names of the highest aggregate scores for those Cups, to date:

"A 1" Class—Y. C. Waung 1393, R. I. Ito 1392 and F. E. Hodges 138.

"A" Class—H. G. Mende 1296 and Z. S. Hoo 1277.

"B" Class—C. S. Kemp 1263.

"C" Class—H. Collaco 1187, A. C. Godby 1176 and C. H. Liu 1098.

"D" Class—L. K. Chu 988.

Note—Conditions for competition beginning January, 1924, will be announced in my next circular.

Empire Squadron At Sierra Leone

(*Reuter's Service*)

Sierra Leone, Dec. 8.—The naval squadron on the Empire cruise arrived here today at its first port of call. It was warmly welcomed and elaborate arrangements have been made for its reception and entertainment.

M. T. LIANG RESIGNS

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, Dec. 10.—Mr. M. T. Liang telegraphed to the Government today saying that it was imperative that he should go abroad as he was really ill, and that he had therefore sent his seal of office and documents relating to his post as head of the Weihaiwei Retrocession Commission to the Waichiaopu.

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Obituary

Mr. GEORGE TONG

Word has been received in Shanghai that Mr. George Tong, the second son of the late Dr. Y. C. Tong, died on the 6th instant at the German Hospital in the legation quarter, Peking. Kai Tong, the elder brother of the deceased, has gone to Peking to bring back the remains.

Mr. George Tong, who was 33 years old, studied engineering in England for six years and was graduated in 1911 when he came back to China. In 1921 he served in the Canton-Hankow Railway and was later appointed bridge construction engineer of the Ping-Hsiang Railway. While serving in this capacity he sustained bodily injuries including the loss of several teeth in consequence of a fall of 30 feet on one occasion while engaged in the repair of rolling stock on the hill. Although the accident did not prove fatal at the time, he became a victim of increasing debility. In order to recuperate his health, he resigned and came to Shanghai and had been treated by several doctors. As there was little improvement he proceeded to Peking for further treatment in the German Hospital. Here he was attacked by a continuous cough and finally succumbed. The loss of this promising youth of technical ability is greatly lamented by his relatives and friends. He is survived by his mother, brother and two nephews.

MRS. ADELE MOSZKOVSKI

Mrs. Adele Moszkovski, mother of Mr. George A. Moszkovski, vice-president of the American Asiatic Underwriters, Shanghai, passed away at her home in Warsaw, Poland, at the age of fifty-one, deeply grieved by her family.

Three More Boats Bring U.S. Mail Before Christmas

With the arrival of that heavy consignment of American mail on the President Jefferson last Sunday, three more mail boats will arrive in Shanghai from America before Christmas, and the same number of vessels are due from Europe.

The first of the three to arrive from the States is the President Cleveland on tomorrow morning. The liner which is coming from San Francisco via Honolulu and Japan ports, will dock at the China Merchants' Central Wharf at 6:30 o'clock tomorrow morning, and brings 322 bags of mail, a full list of passengers, a big shipment of silver bullion and 1,800 tons of general cargo for this port. It is scheduled to sail for Hongkong and Manila at one o'clock Thursday afternoon.

The Empress of Asia, which should dock at Yokohama from Vancouver this morning, is expected at Woosung next Saturday, and the President Grant arrives from Seattle on December 21. The President Wilson is due from San Francisco on the Christmas Day.

With the European mail of November 2, the M. M. liner Paul Lecat left Hongkong on Saturday evening, and is to dock at the S. M. R. Whangpoo Wharf about 4 o'clock this afternoon. The Macedonia is due here from London on December 19, and the Andre Lebon arrives from Marseilles about December 22.

Taking mail for Europe, the P. and O. steamer Devanha will sail for London early this afternoon, and the tender with passengers for the vessel is to leave the Customs jetty at noon. Mail closes at 10 a.m. The Khiva, which docked at the Hongkew Wharf last week, will leave for Moji and Kobe at noon today.

The Jefferson, which arrived from Seattle last Sunday, changed its berth to the Standard Oil Wharf, Pootung, last evening, and sails for Hongkong and Manila late this morning. The tender with outgoing passengers for the liner will leave the Customs jetty at 9 o'clock.

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Elders In Party, Disgusted With Dr. Sun, Leave For Shanghai

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, Nov. 30.—The departure of General Hsu Chung-shi, Dr. Sun Yat-sen's right hand man in military affairs, for Shanghai several days ago, followed by Mr. Liao Chung-hoi, Civil Governor of Kwangtung, on November 28 was caused by the failure of the elder faction of the Kuomintang to gain a hand in Canton local politics.

The younger faction of the Kuomintang, led by Mr. Sun Fo, son of Dr. Sun, has so far held a strong position in local affairs. It was through Mr. Sun Fo that Dr. Sun had succeeded in carrying out his confiscation measure, which resulted in raising several million dollars from the city alone for war funds. While Dr. Sun has probably sacrificed his past reputation and future influence through this measure, all benefit from the proceeds of the sale of government lands and confiscated property has gone into the hands of the Yunnanese and other mercenary troops imported into Canton in order to replace the Kuomintang in power here.

So far the Kuomintang administrations in Canton City and Kwangtung Province have failed in all constructive measures attempted, their time and energy having gone to the raising of funds for the support of mercenary troops who later turned against their employers under one pretext or another.

The Yunnanese troops, with their financial bureaux in the West River and North River districts along the railways collecting taxes properly belonging to the civil administration, are ignoring the civil authorities. When they forced Dr. Sun last week to appoint General Yang Hsi-min of the Yunnanese Army Commander in Chief of the allied Kwangtung, Kwangsi and Yunnan troops in Kwangtung they obtained practically complete control of the province.

General Hsu Chung-hai, a Cantonese and a corps commander when Yang was but a brigadier indignant at having to take orders from one who met reverses like him a fortnight ago on the Eastern front, left Canton to reorganise the Kuomintang Party in Shanghai without the younger set, leaving Dr. Sun dependent on his mercenary troops to maintain his hold on Canton.

The general impression is that the failure of the Kuomintang in Canton is due to the inability of Dr. Sun to understand men and to the lack of experience of the younger men who have obtained power, rejecting the advice of the older and original leaders of the party.

During the absence of Governor Liao Chung-hoi of Kwangtung, Acting Secretary of State Chen Shih-jen will officiate in the office of governor.

Mr. Chau Lu, the Commissioner of Finance, has resigned and has been appointed President of the Kwangtung Teachers College, relieving Mr. Kin Tsang-ching.

In the departure of Governor Liao, the following other appointments were also made: Mr. Chen Yung as the Chief Justice of the Kwangtung Provincial High Court, Mr. Mei Kwang-pui as Commissioner of Kwangtung Finance, and Mr. C. Y. Chan Kwi-woon, as Chief of Canton Municipal Department of Finance.

Mr. Ng Yu-hong, the Salt Commissioner, has resigned but Dr. Sun has not yet appointed his successor.

Peking Hears Details Of Battle Near Canton

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 6.—From well-informed foreign sources at Canton interesting details are forthcoming of the state of affairs in that city during the recent crisis when General Chen Chiung-ming seemed about to take possession of the city and drive the remnants of Dr. Sun Yat-sen's party out of Kwantung. It appears that the nearest point to the city reached by the advance guards of General Chen Chiung-ming's forces was three miles. This was on November 18. By November 24 they had withdrawn to about 15 to 20 miles from Canton.

It will be remembered that recently Dr. Sun Yat-sen appointed the Yunnanese General Yang Hsi-men to the supreme command of all forces. Under his immediate command were 15,000 to 20,000 Yunnanese. Other provincial forces are: 5,000 Cantonese, 3,000 Kwangsi troops, 2,000 Honanese, and about 8,000 Hunanese under General Tan Yen-kai. At the outside this gives a total of 38,000 which is regarded as an over-estimate.

A large proportion of these troops are worthless. The Cantonese are said to be unable to withstand fire, and their breaking away is believed to have been responsible for General Chen Chiung-ming's capture of Shekiung. They could only be induced to return to the front when the Yunnanese were brought up in their rear.

While most of the Yunnanese are well armed most of the other forces are poorly equipped, some being unarmed.

The Kowloon-Canton Railway has been damaged during the recent operations, rails being torn up.

General Chen Chiung-ming is believed to be well equipped.

Dr. Sun is said to have alienated the sympathy and support of the business men, and his chances of success appear small, but his indomitable courage may enable him to pull through.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, Nov. 29.—The General Headquarters of Dr. Sun Yat-sen has officially announced the recapture of Shekiung and the regaining of control of the section of Canton-Kowloon Railroad from this city to Shektan. Since the war the Canton-Kowloon Railroad has lost more than $300,000 in traffic receipts alone, apart from the destruction of property. The Sun forces are now quartered along the railway with their maximum strength still concentrated at Shaho, just outside Canton City.

The Yunnanese Army occupying Canton is demanding direct control of the silk likin station from the Canton Bureau of Finance. The syndicate to which the collection of this likin has been farmed out has already advanced more than $300,000 towards the present war on condition that its administration shall not be interfered with until the loan is settled and is protesting against military control.

From December 1, a war tax of 20 percent on freight and 30 percent on passenger charges will be imposed on the Canton-Hankow Railroad for the sole support of the Yunnanese and the Hunanese mercenary troops in Kwangtung. The special tax will be abolished after three months, according to the Generalissimo.

A large sum is expected by Dr. Sun from a special war assessment of 3 percent on Canton real estate. Owners paying the tax in the next ten days will be free of the inquisition annoyance. Since the return of Dr. Sun Yat-sen to Canton last February many private landowners have been dispossessed on the ground that their buildings or lands were once property of the government or a public temple. Property rights of individuals in Canton have been suspended for the time being and landlords nowadays have to turn over the rent from their tenants to the military authorities and may not admit a new tenant without a special permit from the police headquarters.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 10.—A meeting of the Cabinet on Saturday resolved to ask the Powers concerned exactly what has happened at Canton, indicating their desire to know what the naval commanders have been instructed to do in the event of Dr. Sun Yat-sen seizing the Customs.

The Legations concerned have received a Note to this effect.

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(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 9.—At the annual banquet of the Association of Old Students of Brussels University, Professor Paul Heger, President of the Council of Administration of University, who has just returned from America, praised President Coolidge and Mr. Hoover and warmly thanked the intellectual world in America for what it had done for Brussels University.

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Capital £3,000,000
Reserve Fund £3,900,000
Reserve Liabilities £3,000,000

Head Office.
38 Bishopsgate London, E. C.
Shanghai Branch: 18 The Bund

Court of Directors
Sir Montagu Cornish Turner Chairman.
T. Cuthbertson, Esq.,
Sir Alfred Dent, K.C.M.G.
Sir William Henry Neville Goschen, K.B.E.
The Rt. Hon. Lord George Hamilton, G.C.S.I.
The Right Honourable Sir John Newell Jordan, G.C.M.G., G.C.I.E., K.C.B.
W. Foot Mitchell, Esq., M.P.
James Maxwell Grant Prophit, Esq.
Lewis Alexander Wallace Esq.
Colin Frederick Campbell, Esq.

Bankers:
The Bank of England.
The London Joint City and Midland Bank Limited.
Westminster Bank, Ltd.
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Limited.
The Nation Bank of Scotland, Limited.

Agencies and Branches:

Alor Star	Haiphong	Peking
(Kedah)	Hongkong	Penang
Amritsar	Hoilo	Puket
Bangkok	Ipoh	Rangoon
Batavia	Karachi	Saigon
Bombay	Klang	Samarang
Calcutta	Kobe	Seremban
Canton	Kuala-Lumpur	Shanghai
Cawnpore	Madras	Singapore
Cebu	Manila	Sourabaya
Colombo	Medan	Taiping
Delhi	New York	Tavoy
Hankow	Zamboanga	Tientsin
		Yokohama

Drafts granted on the above Agencies and Branches and also on the principal Commercial Cities throughout the world. Bills of Exchange bought and received for collection. Travellers' Letters of Credit issued and every description of Banking business undertaken.

C. J. SCOTT,
Manager.

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger S. A.

(Affiliated to the Societe Generale de Belgique.)

	Frs.
Capital (subscribed)	100,000,000
Capital (paid up)	75,000,000
Reserves	21,852,280

Head office: Brussels
Branches and Agencies at:
LONDON, MANCHESTER, PARIS, NEW YORK, BUCHAREST, BRAILA, COLOGNE, CAIRO, ALEXANDRIA, PEKING, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, HANKOW.
Allied Banks:
BANCO DE CARTAGENA, MADRID, with Branches in SPAIN and MOROCCO
WIENER BANK-VEREIN, VIENNA, with Branches in AUSTRIA, HUNGARIA, ITALY (TYROL), YUGOSLAVIA, POLAND and RUMANIA
ALLGEMEINER BOEHMISCHER BANK-VEREIN, PRAGUE, with Branches in CZECHO-SLOVAKIA
BANQUE FRANCO-BELGE DE BULGARIE S. A., SOFIA.
LANDESBANK FUER BOSNIEN-UND HERCEGOVINA, SERAJEVO, with Branches in YUGOSLAVIA.
Correspondents in all parts of the world.
Every description of banking business transacted.

A. DONNAY,
Manager.

行儲業實江浙
The Chekiang Industrial Bank Ltd.

Established 1908
(Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association)

Capital $2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund .....$ 420,000.00

Head Office: 14 Hankow Road. Shanghai.
Branches: Hankow and Hangchow.
Domestic Agencies:
In the principal cities throughout China.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.
Banking Department, Foreign Department and Savings Department.

LI MING,
General Manager

Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office,
C. 7121 to 7124, General Office
Cable Address:
"HUINDUBANK," Shanghai.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Authorised Capital $50,000,000
Issued & fully paid-up..$20,000,000

Reserve Fund:—
Sterling .....£ 4,500,000
Silver $24,500,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors $20,000,000

Head Office: HONGKONG.
Court of Directors:
Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang, Chairman.
D. G. M. Bernard, Esq. Deputy Chairman.
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G. T. M. Edkins, Esq.
Hon. Mr. F. H. Holyoak.
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J. A. Plummer Esq.
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W. P. White, Esq.
CHIEF MANAGER:
Hongkong:
Hon. Mr. A. G. STEPHEN.

Branches and Agencies:

Amoy	Harbin	Peking
Bangkok	Iloilo	Penang
Batavia	Ipoh	Rangoon
Bombay	Johore	Saigon
Calcutta	Kobe	S. Francisco
Canton	Kuala-Lumpur	Shanghai
Chefoo	London	Singapore
Colombo	Lyons	Sourabaya
Dairen	Malacca	Sungei-Patani
Foochow	Manila	Tientsin
Haiphong	Nagasaki	Tsingtao
Hamburg	New York	V'divostock
Hankow	Yokohama	

London Bankers:
The Westminster Bank, Ltd.

Shanghai Branch: 12 The Bund
Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Local Bills Discounted.
Credits granted on approved Securities and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America.

G. H. STITT.
Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid)	55,000,000
Reserve Fund	26,960,000
Capital Contributed by Kup. the Chinese Government	Tls. 3,500,000
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

Head Office:
Paris, 9 Rue Bordreau
London Office:
64 Old Broad Street, E. C. 2.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie and Co.
Societe Generale pour favoriser le developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Paris: Societe Generale pour Favoriser le Developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Lyons: Societe Generale pour Favoriser le Development du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Milan: Credito Italiano.
Rome: Banco di Roma.
New York: Irving Bank—Columbia Trust Company.
San Francisco: The Crocker National Bank of San Francisco.

BRANCHES IN ASIA

Chanchun	Harbin	Shanghai
Chefoo	Hongkong	Peking
Dairen	Manchouli	Tientsin
Hailar	Kashgar	Yokohama
Hankow	Newchwang	Urumtchi

SHANGHAI BRANCH
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars. Terms on application. Local Bills discounted.
Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.
SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES.
L. Jezierski.
P. Petithuguenin.
Ch. Bleuler.
Managers for Branches in Asia.

Bank of Communications

(Specially authorised and made a National Bank by Presidential Mandates of April 7th, 1911 and October 31st, 1915).
Capital: Dollars 20,000,000.00
President: Hon. Mr. Chang Chien.
Vice-President: Mr. Chien Yung-Ming.
HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement. Credit granted on approved securities. Special facilities for Transfers to all parts of China.
SHANGHAI BRANCH:
14 The Bund
Shen Chu Hsu Manager.
T. D. Woo, Sub-Manager.
S. T. Huang, Sub-Manager.
S. Y. Yuen, Sub-Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1.00 will be received.
Not more than $200 will be received during one month from any single Depositor.
Interest at the rate of 3½ % per annum will be allowed upon the monthly minimum balance.
The maximum balance on which interest will be allowed is $5,000.00.
Deposits may be withdrawn on Demand. Accounts will be kept either in Dollars or Taels, Local Currency, at the option of the Depositor.
Depositors will be presented with Pass Books, in which all transaction will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.
OFFICE HOUSE, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. to noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Ltd.

Incorporated 1912.
Capital Authorised ..£1,200,000-0-0
Capital Paid-up £1,076,315-0-0
Reserve Fund H. K. $ 500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central
Hongkong.

BRANCHES:
Shanghai, New York, Canton, Hankow and Bangkok.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 1 and 2 Ningpo Road.

AGENCIES:

Honolulu	S. Francisco	Kobe
London	Sourabaya	Batavia
Manila	Singapore	Canada
Yokohama	Samarang	etc.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Every description of banking and Exchange business transacted.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT
Savings deposits are cordially invited. Favorable terms are given. Accounts will be kept in Dollars or Taels, at depositors' option.

WONG WEN KUANG.
Manager.

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce

Authorized Capital $10,000,000 00
Paid-up Capital ..... $ 7,500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
EXECUTIVE OFFICE:
SHANGHAI
BRANCHES:

PEKING	SHANGHAI
TSINAN	HARBIN
HANKOW	SHIHKIACHWANG
TIENTSIN	

Correspondents throughout the World including the Interior of China.
SHANGHAI OFFICE:
11A Nanking Road
Telegraphic Address:
"Sinambank" Shanghai
Codes Used:
Bentley's Complete Phrase
Western Union Code
Whitelaw's 401 Millions Code
Transacting a General Banking Business, Issuing Drafts and Making Telegraphic Transfers, Buying and Selling Foreign Exchange, Issuing Commercial and Circular Letters of Credit, Allowing Interest on Fixed Deposits, Current Accounts, and Savings Accounts.
YOUR BANKING BUSINESS SOLICITED

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Subscribed Capital .. 72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital 68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-20) 69,500,000.00
HEAD OFFICE:
No. 96 Boulevard Hanoomann
Paris.

Branches and Agencies:

Saigon	Hanoi	Tourane
Haiphong	Hankow	Tientsin
Peking	Canton	Mengtze
Hongkong	Pondichery	Bangkok
Singapore	Shanghai	Noumea
Papeete	Djibouti	Yunnanfu
Pnom-Penh	Battambang	

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais.

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

International Banking Corporation

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS
U.S. $10,000,000.00
Owned by the National City Bank of New York.

HEAD OFFICE:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
LONDON OFFICE:
36 BISHOPSGATE, E.C.

BRANCHES

Barcelona	Manila
Batavia	Panama
Bombay	Peking
Calcutta	Rangoon
Canton	San Francisco
Cebu	Santo Domingo
Colon	Shanghai
Dairen	Singapore
Hankow	Soerabaya
Harbin	Tientsin
Hongkong	Tokio
Kobe	Yokohama
Madrid	

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts and Savings Bank accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.
We are also able to offer our Customers the services of the Branches of the National City Bank of New York in the principal countries of South America and in the West Indies.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1A Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital $60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital $19,760,100.00
Reserve Fund $ 6,083,845.41

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Huchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking
etc.,	etc.,	etc.

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka and Yokohama.
SHANGHAI BRANCH
12 The Bund
Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(Netherlands Trading Society)
Established 1824

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19,769,151 about £1,647,432)
Special Reserve: Guilders 11,860,000 (about £1,838,333).

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Pekalongan
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	Penang
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djocjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerakarta
Kobe	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Tegal
Makassar	Tjilatjap
Medan	Welteyreden
Padang	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.
Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

E. J. KERKSCHILDE,
Manager.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1918)

Subscribed Capital $2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital $1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund $200,000.00

SHANGHAI BRANCH
17 Jinkee Road
Telegraphic Address "CHUNGFOO"
Telephone Numbers ... C. 1929 Manager's Office.
C. 6468)
C. 6469) General Office.
C. 6470)
C. 5620 T. T. Department.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES IN CHINA

TIENTSIN	Changsha	Hsuchow	Shasi
SHANGHAI	Chengteh	Ichang	Soochow
PEKING	Chengchow	Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu
HANKOW	Chinkiang	Nanking	Wusieh
ANTUNG	Fengtien	Ningpo	Wuhu
CANTON	Hangchow	Pengpu	Yangchow
CHANGCHUN	Hongkong	Shaoshing	

FOREIGN AGENCIES AND CORRESPONDENTS

Baltimore	Cincinnati	Montreal	San Francisco
Berlin	Cleveland	New York	Seattle
Boston	Detroit	Osaka	St. Louis
Buffalo	Kobe	Philadelphia	Tokio
Cebu	London	Pittsburgh	Washington
Chicago	Manila	Paris	Yokohama

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement. Savings Deposits taken. All kinds of Trust Business undertaken.
Safe Deposit Boxes.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

MEMBER OF THE SHANGHAI BANKERS' ASSOCIATION

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road, Shanghai.

Capital paid up $2,500,000.00
Reserve ... ... $ 470,000.00

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits. Credits granted on approved securities.

K. P. CHEN,
General Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up $2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund $850,823.80
Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin.
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris, Berlin, Zurich, Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, and Osaka. Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS 4% PER ANNUM
Every description of banking business transacted.
MODERN SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT

If you have business in the Far East—

The kind of a bank you need to help you is one whose business is exclusively of the Far East—

A BANK whose name and reputation will win the respect and confidence of your customers—a bank that is versed in the methods of the East: that knows its customs and markets—a bank that is your experienced business counselor as well as your financial agent.

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ORGANISED and managed by the officers and directors of The Equitable Trust Company of New York, it will give you the same prestige abroad and the same personal service that distinguishes the parent organisation—with the added convenience of a separate bank devoted exclusively to Oriental business.

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EQUITABLE EASTERN BANKING CORPORATION
37 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
SHANGHAI OFFICE: 6 KIUKIANG ROAD
Capital Surplus and Undivided Profits U.S. $2,850,000
CENTRAL 7944. A. E. SCHUMACHER, Manager

工業商行
Head Office: Hongkong. Branch Office: Hankow.

THE INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL BANK, LTD.

Shanghai Branch
51 KIANGSE ROAD

Every description of banking transacted. Correspondents in China and abroad.
Telegraphic Address: "KONGSHAN."

CHU KINHOW, Manager.
Tel. Nos. C.2204, 5816 and 6553. Shanghai Branch.

行銀業實亞東
The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 10 Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital $10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital $ 5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K. $ 500,000.00
HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

Sh. s.
Subscribed Capital 5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital 2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance, On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars. 4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire 16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire 4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver $150,000
Head Office: Shanghai,
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin.
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise et Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, Banque Italo Belge,
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company,
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belga,
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de la Baie, Lee and Co.'s Bank,
Banca Unione de Credito,
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies, Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Sinit SHANGHAI, No. 14 Kiukiang Road.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 3004.

C. MARMONT,
CHIN YU SHU,
General Managers.

Passengers Arrived

Per C.N. s.s. Shunning from Hongkong: Mrs. G. Flynn and two children, Mrs. Tarby Misses McUab, D. Hall, H. Hall.
Per C.N. s.s. Fengtien from Tientsin: Mrs. Loda and child, Capt. O'Kane, Messrs. W. Moore, C. H. Mortimore, A. E. Tipper; from Chefoo: Misses Baker, Rough, Macpherson; from Weihaiwei: Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Hill.
Per Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson from Seattle: Capt. and Mrs. W. A. Worton, Mrs. Kitty Koo, Rev. and Mrs. I. O. Jacobson and baby, Dr. and Mrs. John R. Brinkley, Dr. H. D. Osborne, Mrs. Martha and Master Hellmuth Struckmeyer, Sister Fredericka Robe, Messrs. E. C. Hawley, Eugene Newman. Through for Hongkong: Mr. and Mrs. Lan Quon and child, Dr. and Mrs. V. C. Ramho, Mrs. Frabk S. Walton, Messrs. S. Whittaker, H. C. Durrschmidt; for Manila: Lieut. and Mrs. F. L. Gallon and child, Misses Theo. and Myrtle McDonald, Messrs. Orlie, Jackson, H. G. Meiclaf, H. Merecht.
Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Mr. Dee, two sisters.
Per N.S. s.s. Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo: Hr. D. Gustaison.
Per C.M. s.s. Kianghsin from Hankow and ports: Mrs. Scott.
Uer I-C. s.s. Loongwo from Hankow and ports: and Mrs. Livingston, Dr. and Msr. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Sake, Ms. S. Fulle, Miss Schmedeman, Messrs. F. P. West, Norman Smith, Clarke, Dawsen.

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

President Lincoln	Nov. 24
Shinyo Maru	Nov. 24
Shaboneo	Nov. 27
Levant Arrow	Nov. 27
Siberia Maru	Dec. 3

FOR VANCOUVER

Empress of Canada	Nov. 20
Empress of Russia	Dec. 2

FOR SEATTLE

Hawaii Maru	Nov. 15
President Madison	Nov. 21
Alabama Maru	Nov. 25
President McKinley	Dec. 3
Hoyeisan Maru	Dec. 9

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

West Jester	Nov. 14
West Jessup	Nov. 27
Tjibesar	Nov. 28
Pawlet	Nov. 29
West Nomentum	Dec. 9

FOR GRAYS HARBOR, U.S.A.

Tenbergen	Nov. 29

FOR CEBU

Ribera	Dec. 9

FOR NEW YORK

Hoffron	Nov. 13
Ajax	Nov. 20
Eastern Prince	Nov. 26
City of Corinth	Nov. 30
Takaoka Maru	Dec. 6
City of Athens	Dec. 10

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Malwa	Nov. 13
Glaucus	Nov. 15
Kamo Maru	Nov. 19
Nyanza	Nov. 21
Kalyan	Nov. 27
Machaon	Nov. 29
Katori Maru	Dec. 1
City of Karachi	Dec. 1
Glenamoy	Dec. 2
Oanfa	Dec. 3
Sarpedon	Dec. 8
Glengarry	Dec. 9

FOR HAMBURG

Havelland	Nov. 15
Pfals	Nov. 17
Adolf von Baeyer	Dec. 1
Ermland	Dec. 9
Amur Maru	Dec. 9

FOR AMSTERDAM

Ouderkerk	Nov. 16

FOR COPENHAGEN

Malve	Nov. 20

FOR BARCELONA

C. Lopez Y. Lopez	Dec. 7

FOR MARSEILLES

Porthos	Nov. 21
Angkor	Dec. 7

FOR TRIESTE

Fiume L.	Nov. 30

FOR INDIA

Tanda	Nov. 24
Takada	Dec. 5
Soudan	Dec. 9

Steamers Departed

December 8

Niigata Maru for Japan.
Hoyeisan Maru for Seattle.
Hakone Maru for Japan.

December 9

Woosung for Hankow
Esang for Hankow
Waishing for C. Tientsin
Amur Maru for Europe.
Huaming for Dairen
Wuhu for C. Tientsin
Dardanus for Dairen, etc.
Malaya for Japan.
Suiyang for A. H. Canton.
Kwongsang for S. H. Canton.
Ribera for Cebu.
Soudan for Bombay.
Kwangtah for H. Canton.
Glengarry for Europe.
Unkai Maru 12 for Dairen.
Ermland for Hamburg
Vancouver Maru for Japan.
Peihua for Tientsin.
Toonan for Nanking.
Scila Shell for Fusan.
West Nomentum for Portland via Dairen

December 10

Kiangyung for Hankow
Siangyang Maru for Hankow
Hsinming for C. Tientsin.
Yingchow for A. H. Canton
Foochow for Pukow.
Kohoku Maru for Dairen, etc.
Saikio Maru for T. Dairen
City of Athens for New York
Kaiping for Chinwangtao.
Kwangping for Chinwangtao.
Shinlee for N. Customs.
Hsin Peking for Ningpo.
Hsin Ningshao for Ningpo.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Closed

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	H.$1,065
Chartered	£19½ S.
Nglo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Ocean	H.$675 B.
North China	Tls. 128
Union of Canton	H.$236 B.
Yangtsze	H.$95½ B.
Pac Eastern Inx.	Tls. 22
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$196 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$510 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$142½
Indo-China Pref.	H. $95½ B.
"Shell"	76/6
P'hai Tug, ord.	Tls. 80
P'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 53
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 21¼
Oriental Cons.	13/-
Raub	$5.20 B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$151
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 91
Nav. Eng. Works	Tls. 6.40 B.
Pref.	Tls. 5.80
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 190
Hongkong Wharf	H.$154 S.
Lands and Hotels	
P'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$46 B.
P'hai Realty ord.	Tls. 59
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 60
E.-French Land.	Tls. 122 B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 122½
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 52
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 13
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 113 B.
Lao-kung-mow	Tls. 10
Oriental	Tls. 5¼ B.
Shanghai Cotton	Old 76 New 51
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	$234 B.
Green Island	Tls. 26¾ S
Langkats	Tls. 34 B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
P'hai Sumatra	Tls. 90 S.
Stores	
Hall and Holtz	Tls. 6.90 B.
Llewelyn	Tls. 95 B.
Lane Crawford	Tls. 103½ B.
Mourtrie	$55 B.
Watson	H.$25½ B.
Weeks	$11 S.
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 7 B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.50 S.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 6.70 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 2.90
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 23
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 1.05 B.
Batu	Tls. 0.65 B.
Bukit Toh Klang	Tls. 1.07½ B.
Chemor United	Tls. 1.05 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 7
Chong	Tls. 1¼ B.
Consolidated	Tls. 2.85 S.
Dominion	Tls. 2.35
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 11
Java Consolidated	Tls. 13½ B.
Kapying	Tls. 12¾ B.
Karah	Tls. 7
Kedah	Tls. 1.30
Koth Bahroe	Tls. 1.10
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 13½ B.
Padang	Tls. 6.40 B.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1.88½
Permata	Tls. 2.90 B.
Repah	Tls. 0.95 B.
Samanggus	Tls. 0.85 B.
Seaketan	Tls. 1.15 S
Semambu	Tls. 1.30 B.
Senawang	Tls. 1.12½
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.60
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 4¼ B.
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 9
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 0.90 B.
Sungei	Tls. 1½
Sungei Duri	Tls. 3¼ B.
Sua Mangris	Tls. 9 B.
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.80
Taiping	Tls. 0.77½
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.77½ B
Tebong	Tls. 1.40 B.
Wanpoo	Tls. 3.60
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 171
Cathy Dairy	325
Shanghai Trams.	Tls. 13
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 176½
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 41 B.
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 50 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 73 S.

B. Sellers, Ss. Sales, B. Buyers

Money Exchange

Shanghai, December 10, 1923

Mex. Dollar market rate	72.375
Native interest	35
Copper Cash	249.200
Shanghai Gold Bar	326.50
Bar Silver	33½
Bank rate of Discount	4%
Paris on London	81.80
New York on London	436¼
London—	
Telegraph Transfer	3/3
Demand	3/3⅛
New York—	
Telegraphic Transfer	71
Demand	71¼

OPENING RATES
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Opening quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London T.T.	3/3
London Demand	3/3⅛
London 4 ms.	3/3¼
India T.T.	227¾
France T.T.	1330
America T.T.	71
Hongkong T.T.	70¾
Japan T.T.	67
Batavia T.T.	192½
Straits T.T.	72½

BANKS BUYING RATES

London 4 m-s. Credits	3/3
London 4 m-s. Docts	3/5¼
London 6 m-s. Credits	3/5⅜
London 6 m-s. Docts.	—
France 4 m-s.	1410
America 4 m-s. L/c. Docs.	74½ 75

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates
@ 74¼ = Tls. 134.68
@ exch. 72.6 = Mex. $185.51

Sovereign: Bank Buying Rate
@ 3s. 4½d. = Tls. 5.92
@ exch. 72.6 = Mex. $6.15

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR DECEMBER

Hk. Tls. 5.61	@ 3/2⅝	£1
Hk. Tls. 1.28	@ 70⅝	Gold $1
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1260½	Fr. 14.04
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Marks —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 69½	Yen 1.60
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 225⅝	Rupees 2.51
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Roubles —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.50
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 15⅞	Ital. Lire 17.62

International Banking Corporation
CLOSING COUNTER RATES

Demand selling on America	72¼
Demand buying on America	74¼
Demand selling on London	3/3⅝
Demand buying on London	3/4½

ROUBLE EXCHANGE
BANK'S BUYING RATE

Roubles 575,000	Tls. 100
Roubles 100	Mex. $0.03

SINO-ITALIAN BANK
Bank's Selling Rates
It. Lire 16.25 = 1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 4.06 = 1 Tael
It. Lire 18.80 = 1 Yen

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3rd Year 6%	94.00	94.00
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7th Year 6%	47.90	48.20
9th Year 6%	66.80	67.30
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Exchange Fluctuations

December 10, 1923

Spot and forward bar silver were each up ⅛d. in London on Saturday. The New York price was unchanged as well as the London-New York cross rate.

At the opening our official quotations here were unchanged from Saturday but as the market was firm, the official Sterling rate was subsequently raised to 3s. 3⅛d., the Gold Dollar rate to 72 and the other rates changed accordingly.

At the opening, our market was inclined to be firm and as banks were good sellers it became very firm indeed during the day.

While in the early part of the morning some business in Sterling was done at 3s. 3⅛d. for near delivery, 3s. 3⅜d. December and 3s. 2⅝d. January, at the close there were sellers of Sterling at 3s. 4⅛d. for near delivery, 3s. 3⅜d. December and 3s. 2⅝d. January.

There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 72⅝ for near delivery, 72¼ December and 71½ January and sellers of Yen at 65 for near delivery, 65½ December and 66¼ January.

Banks were quoting 3s. 4⅜d. and 74½ for Sterling and Gold Dollar bills for near delivery.

For January there were buyers at 3s. 3⅜d. and 73 and for forward delivery buyers at 3s. 3d. and 72. There were buyers of Franc bills at 1380 for near delivery, 1370 for January and 1365 for forward.

India bought silver in London on Saturday and the market is reported as closing steady.

New York also report their market as steady and advise that in view of the unsettled conditions in Mexico, producers are disinclined to offer silver for forward as well as near delivery.

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association
Business Done

Shanghai, December 10, 1923

OFFICIAL

Klebangs Tls. 0.62½
Ewos (Ord.) Tls. 12.30 March
Ewos (Ord.) Tls. 12.25 March

Stock Exchange Transactions

Today's Quotations
Shanghai, December 10, 1923

OFFICIAL

Shanghai Tugs. (Pref.) Tls. 53.00
Langkats Comb. Tls. 34.25 Dec.
Langkats (Single) Tls. 14.00 Dec.
Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls. 12.50 Mar.
Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls. 12.00 Dec.

UNOFFICIAL

Moutries $70.00
S'hai Explorations Tls. 14.00 Dec. Tls. 14.10 Dec.
Batu Anams Tls. 1.10
Chengs Tls. 1.40 Dec.
Shanghai Loans Tls. 6.85
Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls. 12.00
Padangs Tls. 6.75 March
Langkats Comb. Tls. 34.75 Dec.

Silk Market

In their weekly report on the silk market, Messrs. William Little and Company write as follows.

Our last report was dated November 30.

The market continues very quiet but there have been a few transactions here and there to break the monotony of the past few weeks.

Tsatlees.—Silver Double Elephant, Tls. 865.

Tsatlee Filatures.—Kung Kee Mars, 1 Tls. 890.

Tsatlee New Style.—Common. Tls. 922½.

Tussah Filatures 8 coc.—Some enquiry is reported in new silk on basis of Tls. 750 av. for best grades.

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EXPORT FROM SHANGHAI

From June 1 to date, 10,168 bales white and 6,487 bales yellow.

To London, 883 bales.

To France, 1,448 bales white and 563 bales yellow.

To Italy and Switzerland, 127 bales white and 8 bales yellow.

To America, 5,463 bales.

To India and Levant, 1,524 bales white and 5,807 bales yellow.

To Coast ports and Russia, 832 bales.

Steam filatures to Europe, etc., 9,428 bales and America, 10,656 bales.

Yellow steam, 3,971 bales.

Wild silk to Europe, etc., 966 bales, and America, 3,851 bales.

SETTLEMENTS

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Settlements for Europe, &c., White Silk	4,800
Settlements for Europe, &c., Yellow Silk	6,500
Settlements for America, White Silk	5,500
	16,800
Stock in Shanghai, White Silk	3,000
Stock in Shanghai, Yellow Silk	3,000
Visible Supply for season to date	22,800
Stock in Shanghai, Wild Silk	100

SHIPMENTS

Messrs. Messageries Maritimes announce the following list of silk shipped from Shanghai to the undermentioned ports per steamer Angkor on December 7:

Haiphong, 5 bales raw silk.
Port Said, 41 bales raw silk.
Port Said option, 4 bales raw silk.
Tripoli (Cyria), 37 bales raw silk.
Beyrouth, 17 bales raw silk.
Haifa, 10 bales raw silk.
Avingnon, 37 bales wild silk.
St. Chamond, 5 bales raw silk.
Marseilles, 15 bales raw silk and 395 bales waste silk.
Lyons, 98 bales raw silk and 10 bales wild silk.
Genoa 2 bales waste silk.

Chinese Fur Dealers In Urga Suspend Business

Peking, December 5.—Since the occupation of Urga by the Bolsheviks, the Chinese fur dealers have ceased doing business there, and consequently all kinds of Mongolian products cannot be exported. The prices of raw materials have fallen most abnormally, and the Chinese merchants in Kalgan and other places have again and again petitioned the Government to devise immediate means for their protection so that they may re-commence their business there. In former days the Three Eastern Provinces had been the outlet for the products for West Mongolia, but since the declaration of autonomy, all the Chinese fur dealers there have either returned to China or closed up their shops. However, many Americans have availed themselves of the opportunity to purchase furs and other products at a great profit. In compliance with the wishes of the Chinese fur dealers between China and Mongolia, the Central Government is going to adopt immediate measures to re-open trade with Urga and other places.

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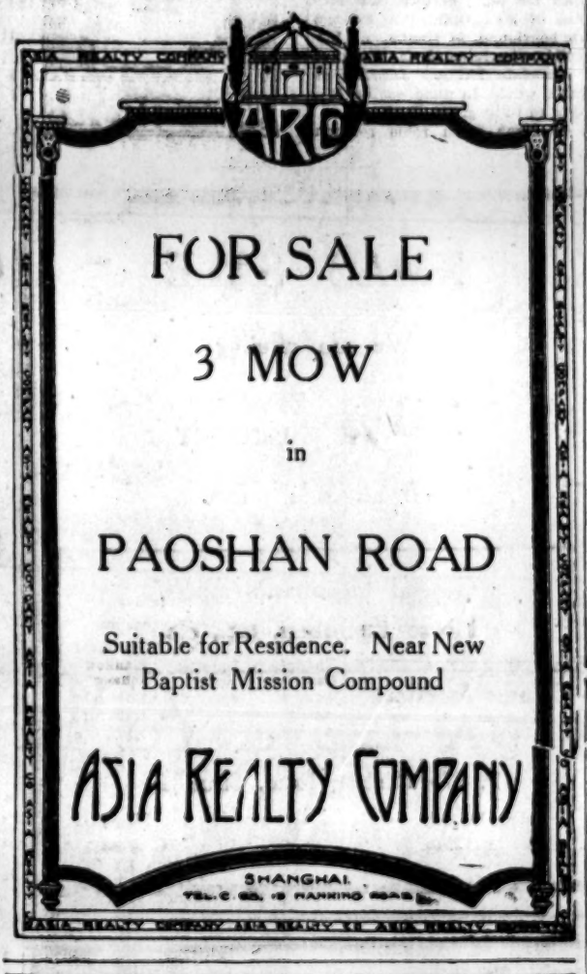

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FIRST SUPPLY OF INSULIN ARRIVES IN SHANGHAI

New Diabetic Specific Brought By Lilly Company Manager

The first supply of insulin, the much discussed diabetic specific recently discovered by Dr. Frederick Grant Banting, winner of the Nobel prize for medical research, has just arrived in Shanghai in the custody of Mr. Charles J. Lynn, secretary and general manager of Eli Lilly and Company, of Indianapolis, the biological chemists firm which is manufacturing the new remedy under Dr. Banting's patent. Several Shanghai patients are already undergoing the treatment.

Mr. Lynn, accompanied by Mrs. Lynn and Mr. J. Garnet King, general representative in the Far East for the manufacturing chemists, are on a world tour during which Mr. Lynn is distributing the first supplies of the specific to be given out since the restrictions on its distribution were taken off in October. He has already visited Japan, distributing insulin to the leading hospitals throughout the country, and is at present making a similar distribution in Shanghai, which means that the new cure for diabetes is now available to every doctor in the Settlement.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn and Mr. King will sail on the President Jefferson today for Hongkong, Manila, Singapore and Bankok. From Siam Mr. and Mrs. Lynn will continue on around the world, visiting India, Java, Australia, South Africa and Europe. Mr. King will return to Shanghai and establish permanent headquarters for the firm here.

MAGIC STORY

Insulin was discovered by Dr. Banting, a young scientist at the University of Toronto, only a few months ago, but since then it has been so generally experimented with by doctors in all parts of the world under the most severe conditions that it is already accredited by the entire medical profession as one of the most wonderful discoveries of the age in medicine.

The young Canadian's discovery of insulin as a cure for diabetes mellitus, commonly known as sugar diabetes, long considered as an incurable disease, now ranks with Koch's discoveries in tuberculosis, Lister's discovery of antiseptics, and Von Behring's discovery of an antitoxin for diptheria. The discovery was made by Dr. Banting while practicing in a small town in West Canada where, despite his youth, he had been delving into many of the serious scientific problems of his profession. Dr. Banting began with the idea that he could isolate from the pancreas, or sweetbreads, of animals, the active principle which it was known to contain, and which was also known to control the utilisation of sugar in the building up of the body.

SECURES FLUID

A little later, working at the University of Toronto, with Dr. C. H. Best, Dr. Banting after several months succeeded in obtaining a preparation made from the pancreatic gland of animals which would prevent sugar from appearing in the urine of diabetic animals. Finally Dr. Banting secured a supply of what he called insulin sufficiently pure for therapeutic use and insulin was given to the world.

Since then hundreds of lives have been saved and thousands of sufferers made well through the use of the new discovery. Dr. Banting immediately patented his remedy so that he could control its manufacture and distribution and made arrangements with Eli Lilly and Company, one of the largest and best known firms of manufacturing chemists in the world, to manufacture the product on his formula. It is understood that Dr. Banting receives no financial renumeration for his discovery, but gives it to the world as his contribution to medical science. The Lilly company assisted in purifying the final product after many weeks experimental work in their pharmaceutical plant and are the sole manufacturers, distributing the insulin at a price covering the actual cost of its manufacture and within the reach of everyone, rich or poor.

THE NAME

In arriving at a name for the new remedy they decided on insulin, the Latin word for insula, meaning island. Insulin is obtained from the pancreas glands of healthy adult slaughter house animals, Mr. Lynn says, and in these glands are small groups of cells known as islands of Langerhans from which the active agents are obtained. The name 'insulin' came naturally, Mr. Lynn says.

Like many other valuable medical agents insulin may be used to produce harmful effects as well as good and should only be taken under the direction of a physician, Mr. Lynn says. Its use is also indissolubly connected with a proper diet. The remedy is injected under the skin and because of the splendid humanitarianism shown by Dr. Banting and the Lilly company costs the patients under three cents a unit, or injection. Nearly 50,000 patients are now undergoing the insulin treatment throughout the world.

Vast Interest In Zinc Projects Are Assumed By Combine

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, Dec. 6.—In connection with the Empire zinc combination, it is understood that the National Smelting Company are arranging to aquire the Swansea Vale and Avonmouth zinc undertakings and will offer for sale £1,500,000 7 percent first mortgage debentures. They are also acquiring 4,000,000 shares at 10 rupees each in the Burma Corporation. It is stated that the capital will be £650,000 in 8 percent cumulative participating preference shares, and £1,000,000 ordinary shares both at £1 each, and £50,000 deferred shares at one shilling each. The Avonmouth and Swansea Vale properties represent a total capital expenditure considerably exceeding £2,000,000. Mr. Baldwin's British Metal Corporation and Australian mining and smelting interests are reported to be concerned in the deal.

Wu Pei-fu To Be Strong Man Now In Hunan

(*Independent News Service*)

Hankow, Dec. 4.—Early solution of the outstanding struggle in Hunan seems to be near at hand, though the defeated Tan Yen-kai group has boastfully pledged to come back again some four months from now, now that Wu Pei-fu has telegraphed Hupeh and Hunan authorities to send fully accredited representatives to Loyang to discuss Hunan reparations.

It looks General Wu Pei-fu intends to settle once for all the troublesome questions of the hitherto semi-independent or autonomous province of Hunan. The appointment of Tuchun Hsiao Yao-nan of Hupeh as High Inspecting Commissioner of Hupeh and Hunan virtually means definitely subjugating Hunan under the Chihli faction. Besides, the presence of Mah Chih, Wu Pei-fu's new henchman, in Hunan and his possible appointment to the post of Associate Military Director of Hunan would in time enable Wu Pei-fu to fully grasp Hunan.

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Christian College Alumni Association Elects New Officers

C. T. Tung, Of Soochow, To Head Organisation This Year

The Executive Committee of the Alumni Association of Christian Colleges met at 5:30 p.m., December 7 for the election of new officers for 1924. Among those present were representatives of St. Mary's Hall, McTyiere School, Ginling Girls College, Hangchow Christian College, Soochow University, the University of Nanking, Baptist College and William Nast College, St. John's University being unrepresented.

Mr. Daniel C. Fu, president of the Association reported on the work of the year. Mr. B. E. Lee reported that he had examined and found correct the accounts submitted by the Ticket Committee for the variety entertainment held last Spring. The net proceeds from the entertainment amount to $1,205.27. It was decided that this sum should be used in educational work and a committee of three were elected to make their recommendations for approval as to its disposal at the next meeting.

The new officers elected are: President, Mr. C. T. Tung (Soochow); Vice-President, Miss T. K. Pan (St. Mary's); Recording Secretary, Mr. B. E. Lee (Hangchow); Corresponding Secretary, Mr. T. C. Woo (Nanking); and Treasurer, Miss W. T. Yen (McTyiere).

The Committee will meet again on December 20 to discuss plans for the annual banquet and other matters of importance.

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Business and Official Notices

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OBITUARY

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Commemoration Ceremony will be held at his residence at Kiukiang on the 26th day of the 11th Moon (2nd January 1924), and the funeral service will take place on the 1st day of the 12th Moon (6th January 1924). Coffin will be temporarily put at the Pu Yun Temple (普雲寺) at Kiukiang, and it will be buried later at his native place at Heungshan, Kwangtung.

Mr. Ko Feng-tsao left three sons, the eldest son, Mr. Ko Yih-chu (柯易初), had long ago been adopted as son to the elder brother of the deceased. The youngest son, Mr. Ko Chen-chu (柯振初), died several years ago, while now Mr. Ko Feng-tsao is survived by his wife, concubine, his second son, Mr. Ko Chieh-chu, and three grandsons, named Ko Fan-chang (柯蕃昌) and Ko Fan-hsiang (柯蕃翔), being the sons of Mr. Ko Chieh-chu, and Ko Fan-chih (柯蕃枝) being son of the Late Mr. Ko Chen-chu.

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NOTICE

By action of the board of directors S. N. Day has been removed as a director, as treasurer and as manager of the Hire Car Department and has no power to sign any instrument, purchase order or othe' document as from December 10, 1923.

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The American Trading Company has been appointed sole agents of the Newport Chemical Works, Inc. for China. The office of the Newport Chemical Works, Inc. has been removed to the American Trading Company, 3 Canton Road, Robert Dollar Building. Business will be carried on by Mr. C. E. Moss, direct factory representative of the Newport Chemical Works, Inc.

Shanghai, 10th December 1923.

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In the United States Court for China

In re Estate of WILLIAM HARRY LOWE, Deceased.	Cause No. 2347 Estate No. 532

NOTICE

Pursuant to an Order of said Court, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of WILLIAM HARRY LOWE, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers, to the undersigned on or before May 20, 1924, and all persons owing debts to said deceased are hereby notified to make payment of the same in due course to the undersigned.

IRENE W. LOWE,
Administratrix,
669, Rue Ratard,
Shanghai China.

November 20, 1923.

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LOST

A Bill of lading, No. 12, marked Q. for 200 bales of red Dates, having already delivered 110 bales, imported by S. S. Tuckwo, trip No. 638, has been lost.

Having requested Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. to cancel the said Bill, we hereby warn the public, also in the Sin Wan Pao and Shun Pao, not to negotiate the same.

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Chinese Government Railways
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TENDER FOR STRUCTURAL STEEL FOR STRENGTHENING BRIDGES

With the approval of the Ministry of Communications, this invitation is made to the suppliers to submit their tenders for the above mentioned material. The quantity of STRUCTURAL STEEL to be supplied will amount to approximately 338 tons.

Inclosed tenders in envelope sealed with sealing wax, addressed to the Managing Director, Kiaochow-Tsinan Railway Administration, Tsingtau, and further endorsed with the TITLE "TENDER FOR STRUCTURAL STEEL FOR STRENGTHENING BRIDGES" and accompanied with $1,000 in cash or certified check from a reputable bank will be received by this Railway until noon January 5th, 1923. Tenders will be opened at 3 p.m. of the same day, in the Railway Administration Building, in the presence of the Delegate from the Ministry of Communications, Peking, and publicly read, after which tenders will be considered and referred to the Ministry of Communications for final approval.

The said deposit of $1,000 will be refunded in full to the unsuccessful tenderers after contract has been awarded to the selected tenderer or tenderers.

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Effective December 4th

PASSENGER DEPARTMENT

The Dollar SS Lines announce the establishing of a passenger department in connection with the newly-established "Around the World" passenger service. This office will be located at 29 Nanking Road (Corner Nanking and Kiangse Road), occupying space with the Admiral Line.

FREIGHT DEPARTMENT

The Admiral Oriental Line and Barber Line announce the removal of their Freight Department to No. 3 Canton Road occupying space with the Dollar SS Lines. For the convenience of shippers located adjacent to Nanking Road, a freight clerk will be employed in the Nanking Road office for the acceptance and delivery of documents.

The Traffic and Executive Offices will be located on the 7th floor of the Robert Dollar Building.

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Business and Official Notices

Shanghai Waterworks Company, Ltd.

NOTICE

Consumers are recommended, during the winter months, to close at night the stopcock inside their houses, and to empty the cold water piping by opening all the cold water taps in order to minimise the danger of pipes and fittings being burst by frost with consequent damage to walls and furniture.

The Company is at all times prepared to show consumer's the stopcock referred to.

The Company wishes it to be clearly understood that, in the event of any damage to the pipes and/or fittings due to frost or any other cause, the cost of repairing same will be charged to the consumer.

Under no conditions must a tap or taps be allowed to run to waste, and consumers are reminded that, under the terms and conditions of contract signed by them, the Company has power, in the event of water being so wasted, to discontinue the supply without notice.

F. B. PITCAIRN,
Engineer-in-Chief and Manager.

Shanghai, 1st Dec., 1923.

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Kitchen Coal No. 2 (Screened)	per ton $16.00
Steam Coal (Mix)	per ton $13.00
Steam Coal (Dust)	per ton $11.00
Firewood 50 Bundles	$ 1.00
Charcoal one Basket	$ 0.60

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All kind of ladies shoes 20 to 30% discount. From 1st to 30th December. Summer shoes 40% discount. J. Hamasaki, 141 Boone Road. Tel. N. 688,

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Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai
NOTICE
MUNICIPAL LOAN OF 1923

8.000 debentures of Tls. 100 each (issued at Tls. 97 each)

Rate of interest 6% per annum

The "Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai" hereby invite subscriptions for 8.000 debentures of Tls. 100 each, issued at Tls. 97 each according to the resolution passed at their General Meeting on the 14th May 1923.

The conditions on which the Debenture Certificates will be issued are:

1°.—The Debenture Certificates are transferable, and the person whose name is entered in the Register of Debenture Certificate or Certificates, shall alone be recognised and treated by the Council as the lawful and rightful holder and owner of such Debenture Certificate or Certificates.

2°.—The Debentures will be issued at Tls. 97 each.

3°.—The Debentures will be redeemable at par (Tls. 100 each) in not less than 10 years and not more than 30 years, from 1st December 1923 and according to the figures determinated by the Council.

4°.—The Debentures will bear interest at 6% per annum, payable on the 31st day of May and 30th day of November in each year, when interest warrants will be issued to the registered owners.

5°.—The Debenture Certificates will be issued and bear interest from 1st July 1923.

6°.—Applications for Debentures will be received at the Secretary's Office, Rue du Consulat, from June 20 next.

A cheque representing the amount of debentures asked for and payable on June 30th must be deposited at the same time.

7°.—Applications, for Debentures under 97 will not be recognised by the Council.

8°.—For further informations, apply to Mr. P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council.

By Order,
P. LEGENDRE,
Secretary.

Shanghai, 31st May 1923.

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WEATHER.

Cold but fine weather. A depression will advance from Manchuria towards Japan. North Westerly winds along the N. coast; Normal or fresh monsoon in the South. A minimum near the Lake Baikal will enter Mongolia.

BIRTH

THOMAS: To Mr. and Mrs. James A. Thomas, at New York City, December 10th, a son, James A. Thomas, Jr. (By cable).

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Monroe Doctrine And The Open Door

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE in his address to Congress last week spoke of a continuance of America's adherence to the policy of the Monroe Doctrine and Secretary of State Hughes in an address in Philadelphia a few days earlier on the hundredth anniversary of the Monroe Doctrine also referred to this subject and to the equally well-defined American policy of the Open Door in China. The reference to these doctrines by the President and Secretary of State calls attention to the fact that in the century and a half of its existence as an independent nation, the United States Government has formulated only two affirmative foreign policies—the Monroe Doctrine and the Hay Doctrine of the Open Door. Fundamentally both doctrines are predicated upon the geographical position and the political institutions of the United States and in their origin both doctrines sprang from the same general causes and line of reasoning. And of still further significance from the standpoint of world peace, the United States has pretty generally had the support of Great Britain in the enforcement of the two policies. Admiral Phelps, retiring commander of the U. S. Yangtsze squadron mentioned this fact in his address before the American Legion in Shanghai last week.

"The sympathy of Great Britain and the strength of the British Navy have been two of the outstanding reasons why the United States was able for over one hundred years to make the Monroe Doctrine the powerful instrument it has been. The mere dictum of the growing American Republic would not have been enough."

And from the standpoint of the Open Door Policy, Great Britain is generally credited with being the first Power to reply, with certain reservations it is true, but generally in favorable terms to the note of Secretary of State John Hay which was dispatched to the various powers on September 6, 1899.

In view of the fact that the United States is now definitely committed to a policy of non-adherence to the covenant of the League of Nations as definitely expressed by Presidents Harding and Coolidge this fact adds emphasis to the two policies to which America does adhere—the Monroe Doctrine and the Hay Policy. The Monroe Doctrine was pronounced because certain tendencies of European politics, as expressed by alliances and combinations of the period which was the outgrowth of the Napoleonic wars, were deemed by American statesmen of that time to endanger by encroachment upon and interference with new and weak States on the American continents the free development of democratic institutions and ideals of government and likely to create a situation on the Western hemisphere that might menace the security of the new American Republic. The Monroe Doctrine as originally pronounced included only political issues, and did not mention specifically economic problems. Nevertheless, in practice the Monroe Doctrine has been the major influence in maintaining the "Open Door" in the Western Hemisphere.

The Hay Doctrine came about because of the development of conditions in the Far East and the Pacific Ocean which in the opinion of far-seeing American statesmen presented a danger to American political institutions and national security closely analogous to the apprehensions of the statesmen of Monroe's time. The Asian continent, with its immense populations, territory and undeveloped resources, had become the chief attention of imperialistic ambitions of the more powerful nations in Europe. The process of bringing China and other weak Asiatic nations under the political and economic control of European Powers was proceeding apace. While many thoughtful Americans perceived the danger and the economic disadvantages to America that might come from such developments, John Hay is credited with formulating and bringing into existance the international doctrine that bears his name.

The practical test of any political doctrine is found in its application to conditions as they arise, and in their practical applications the Monroe and Hay doctrines, will, on close examination, be found to have the same fundamental motivations, and very similar practical applications. The two doctrines, however, differed in form. The Monroe Doctrine had the form of a dogmatic statement of general policy, taken by the United States as its own position and without consulting or seeking the previous approval of other nations. The Hay Doctrine took the form of a diplomatic approach by the American to other Powers with a view to establishing among them, by general agreement, a recognition of certain principles. What is now termed the Hay Doctrine consists of a number of diplomatic exchanges among governments, made at different times and under different circumstances; but in all of which the general principles advocated by Hay are recognised and reaffirmed. This difference in the form of the two doctrines has caused many people superficially to construe them differently; and has left a way open for various diverse and specious interpretations to be given to the doctrines by governments which desire to undermine them and destroy them.

If further argument is needed to show the similarity of intent in the two documents, quotations from them should convince the most doubting. The closing sentence of the Monroe Doctrine reads as follows: "With the Governments (of the New World) who have declared their independence and maintained it, and whose independence, we have, on great consideration and on just principles, acknowledged, we could not view any interposition for the purpose of oppressing them, or controlling, in any other manner, their destiny, by any European power, in any other light than as the manifestation of an unfriendly disposition towards the United States."

Now turning to the Hay Doctrine as made public on January 3, 1900 we find the following to be its essential content: "—bring about permanent safety and peace in China, preserve Chinese territorial and administrative entity, protect all rights guaranteed to friendly Powers by treaty and by international law, and safeguard for the world the principles of equal and impartial trade with all parts of the Chinese Empire."

Britain's Political Outlook

WHILE something in the nature was to be expected—and readers will remember that in dealing with this subject we had forecast that Labor might possibly be returned in such a position as to dominate the House of Commons—the result of the British General Election must be little short of staggering to those who support the revision of Britain's tariff policy and the institution of reforms calculated to bring it into line with other countries. We are not, however, prepared to endorse the hearty condemnation of the Premier for making the attempt to obtain the suffrages of the country on this important matter at the time he did. That it has proved to be a mistake, does not greatly vary our opinion of his tactics prior to the election. True he was in power, and so far as could be seen, likely to continue so. But he was faced with an economic situation which was rapidly worsening, with more unemployment than was entirely comfortable to any government and few facilities for extending that relief which the worker in England has now come to expect as a portion of the country's alleged debt to himself. His thinking seems to have followed the line that if Britain could not secure her own market to herself, there was little chance maintaining her industries in that condition which would enable her to take the fullest advantage of future trade revival.

The matter was urgent, but in fairness to the Premier, it has to be pointed out that he could possibly have introduced a Tariff Reform bill with the voting strength he had at his disposal in the House of Commons, but it is extremely doubtful whether the Conservative Free Traders would have given him their support, a necessary factor in getting any such proposal on the statute books. Further, considering what has been the verdict of the country at different elections since the policy was first broached, it was clearly the duty of Mr. Baldwin to obtain if possible a clear mandate on the matter from the electorate. He has obtained one—not that which he sought—and it is more than likely he will have to resign. It is regrettable that he had to force a general election when he did, but he was clearly adopting the most honorable course when he did so and those who blame him for mistaken tactics, should rather praise him for the courage with which he took his chance.

An examination of the figures to date shows that of some fourteen million votes over eight were cast in favor of a continuance of the present British trade policy. These eight million free traders, however, are evenly divided as between Liberal and Labor, but with the result that the former has now become the second political party in the United Kingdom, and able completely to dominate the House of Commons. It is unlikely, we think, the Liberal Party and Labor, will form a coalition, for though the former is radically opposed to much that Conservativism stands for, it is unbelievable that it is ready to adopt the more revolutionary policies of the one party which can put it in power at this juncture. Such a coalition, if it were likely, would be unfortunate. On the other hand a combination of Conservatives and Labor would be repugnant to most of the five millions and a half who supported Mr. Baldwin, for a school of thought which stands for the vested interests of the United Kingdom, is unlikely to find much in common with those who have consistently preached an anti-capital gospel and the elevation of the worker to supreme power.

Common interest, however, especially now that the country has pronounced so definitely against Tariff Reform, may enable Conservative and Labor leaders to formulate some sort of working agreement in the House. Perhaps, there may be a coalition, or possibly the Conservative party under the leadership of some other person, may effect a working arrangement with the Liberals, for the passage of essential and non-contentious legislation, which would make the bourgeois parties independent of the important voting strength of Labor. The immediate indications are that whoever attempts to form a government will have to make peace with one party or another, will be more or less dictated to by its partner, and will at the best secure but a most precarious position.

Meantime the fortunes of Labor are at flood and their policy, now that they occupy so important a position in the British Parliament will be watched with the keenest interest. Probably they will have learned the lesson which their severe defeat in municipal elections some years ago should have taught them. But if their policies are no better framed in this sphere of their activities than they were prior to the reverse they then suffered, they may look forward to precisely the same treatment. It is not altogether bad that Labor should have this chance of proving itself. For behind the loud mouthed demagogues of the parks and street corners there are some exceptionally able and earnest thinkers. Possibly too, access to a certain amount of power may help in that ripening process which close experience of government so often gives. But there is peril to the British Empire as a whole if Labor shapes no better at Westminster than it has in Australia.

LIFE AS IT IS

BY THOMAS L. MASSON

THE RELUCTANT MIND

History repeats itself. Human nature is stable.

Twenty odd years ago a man went into a small general store in a Vermont village. He pointed to a broom standing in the corner.

"Give me that broom," he said.

"Can't sell it," said the proprietor.

"Why not?"

"Wa'al, it's the only one I have left."

The other day my daughter and I decided that we would buy a new car of a certain make. There was a nice young girl in charge. There was a brand-new car in the center of the floor space. We began looking it over. You know how you feel about a brand-new car. I wanted to take it right up in my arms and carry it away. My imagination wandered off to the Yosemite. I could see myself and daughter and the rest of the gang purring gently over the Rockies. I made up my mind then and there to get that car—secretly.

"Can you give us a demonstration?" I asked.

The nice girl began to hitch off. She shook her head doubtfully.

"Well, you see," she said, "we couldn't do that very well without making an appointment ahead."

"Could you send a man to my house some time in the near future?"

"What is the name?"

"Excuse me, but you did't answer my question."

"Oh, yes—I think so."

"What's the matter with this car here? It's new, isn't it?"

"Oh, yes—just came in."

"Well, I'll take that one."

"Oh, we couldn't sell this one."

"But what are you going to do with it—just let it lie around here without having any more fun for all the rest of its life?"

The nice young girl looked at me with almost a frightened look. She evidently thought I had just got out. She meant well.

"Good bye," I said, holding out my hand. "Glad to have met you."

She drew away. I grabbed my daughter by the hand and we escaped.

As I have insisted, she was a nice girl. Maybe she had just been taking a correspondence course in salesmanship. Sometimes it works that way.

Stimulating Discourses

WITH EXCERPTS FROM GREAT THINKERS

By Mathy

EXPECT GREAT THINGS

If you are always putting a low rating on yourself, marking yourself down, you may be sure that others will not take the trouble to mark you up. They will not take pains to see if you have not rated yourself too low.

I never knew a man who had a small, belittling estimate of himself to do a great thing. We can never get more out of ourselves than we expect. If you expect large things from yourself, and demand them, if you hold the large mental attitude toward your work, you will get much bigger results than if you depreciate yourself and look only for little results.

If you think you are peculiar, that you are not like other people, that you are different and cannot achieve what they do,—If you harbor these impressions, you are not in a position to overcome what you regard as a handicap. The consciousness of possessing such qualities keep you from being yourself.

People who are constantly depreciating themselves, effacing themselves, who believe that they are miserable worms of the dust and that they never will amount to anything of consequence, make a corresponding impression upon others, for they look as they feel.

Your own estimate of yourself, of your ability, your standing, the weight you carry, and of the figure you cut in the world, will be out-pictured in your appearance, in your manner.

If you feel very ordinary you will appear very ordinary. If you do not respect yourself you will show it in your face. If you feel poor, if you have a skim-milk opinion of yourself, you may be sure that nothing very rich will manifest itself in you. Whatever qualities you attribute to yourself, you will manifest in the impression you make upon others.

On the other hand, if you always contemplate the very qualities which you long to possess, they will gradually become yours, and you will express them in your face and manner. You must feel grand to look grand. There must be superiority in your thought before it can be expressed in your face and your bearing.

Confidence is the very basis of all achievement. There is a tremendous power in the conviction that we can do a thing.

The man who has great faith in himself is relieved from a great many uncertainties as to whether he is in his right place, from doubts as to his ability, and from fears regarding his future.

In others words, the man who is faith-protected is released from a great many worries and anxieties which handicap those who are not. He has freedom of faculty and freedom of action, both of which are necessary for the greatest efficiency.

Freedom is essential to achievement. No one can do his greatest work when his mind is cramped with worry, anxiety, fear, or uncertainty, any more than he can do his best physical work with his body in a cramped position. Absolute freedom is imperative for the best brain work. Uncertainty and doubt are great enemies of that concentration which is the secret of all effectiveness.

Confidence has ever been the great foundation stone. It has performed miracles in every line of endeavor.

Who can ever estimate the marvelous influence of faith in the great achievements of men, that kind of faith which annihilates obstacles, which removes mountains of difficulties?

We are constantly reminded in the Bible that it was through faith that Abraham, Moses, and all the great characters were able to perform miracles and do such marvelous things. There is no other one thing that is emphasised so much throughout the Bible as the importance of faith. "According to thy faith be it unto thee" is reiterated throughout the Scriptures.

We are told that it is faith that doubles one's power and multiplies one's ability, and that without it we can do nothing. How quickly a strong man is stripped of his power the moment he loses confidence in himself or his ability!

Faith is the great connecting link between the objective and the subjective states. It is our faith that enters the Great Within of us, the holy of holy of our lives, and touches the divine. Faith opens the door of the true source of life, and it is through faith that we touch Infinite Power.

Our life is grand or ordinary, large or small, in proportion to the insight and strength of our faith.

Many people do not trust their faith, because they do not know what it is. They confuse it with fancy or imagination, but it is the vote of a Power Within in touch with Omnipotence. It is a spiritual faculty which does not guess or think or doubt, but which knows, for it sees the way out, which the other faculties can not see. It is knowledge just as real as the knowledge which we gain through the senses.

Faith is a great elevator of character, and has a wonderful influence on the ideals. It lifts us to the heights and gives us glimpses of the promised land. It is "the light of truth and wisdom."

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THE MAN IN THE KITCHEN

Mrs. George (sarcastic): Since you're so keen on cooking, dear, why don't you order the meals yourself? You'd save me a lot of bother.

Mr. George: What's the matter? Why this sudden attack?

Mrs. George: I hear you went to the kitchen last night and told the cook how the souffle ought to have been made.

Mr. George (uneasy) Oh? That!

Mrs. George: Yes, that. She gave me notice this morning.

Mr. George (more and more uneasy): Why?

Mrs. George: Because she said she wasn't accustomed to being interfered with by the master of the house as well as by the mistress.

Mr. George: This is too absurd. The souffle was badly made; it didn't souffle at all to begin with, and I agree it would have been excellent shoe leather, but as a souffle, it was a failure. She doesn't know how to make a souffle, that's all that's the matter with her. She doesn't put in enough white of egg, so how can you expect the thing to rise! Besides, she doesn't know how to manage the oven. A good souffle has to go into a very warm oven. I merely told her that, and I ask you, was the oven hot enough?

Mrs. George: Of course it wasn't, but it isn't your business to interfere with the house. I don't tell the scrubwoman how to clean your office, which she does disgracefully. The souffle wasn't right, and you know perfectly well that I knew it wasn't. I know more about cooking than you do.

Mr. George: Oh, you women don't care what you eat.

Mrs. George: Since we probably shan't have a cook in a day or two, it's quite as well that women don't. It's one comfort you're such an expert. You'll be able to go to the kitchen and do it all.

Mr. George: I don't profess to be a practical cook. I'm a connoisseur, a critic.

Mrs. George: Then when we have no cook we must change places. You shall be the cook and I the critic.

Dreams And Other Phenomena Of Unconsciousness

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS,

"I slept at a friend's house Saturday evening, and Sunday morning he and his family told me that I sang an entire song during the night, of which I have no memory, nor did I have a dream which might have any bearing upon it. That in itself is not so surprising as the fact that I don't know two consecutive lines of any song—yet they claim that I sang well.

"At times, when conscious of all about me, I seem to be dreaming of scenes in which technical subjects, of which I am ignorant, are discussed. I have only a vague recollection of them, and they soon blend and leave my memory entirely.

"Is there anything you can say to explain these phenomena?

M. P., Brooklyn."

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Taking science in its only acceptable sense, i.e., as verified, or verifiable, knowledge, developed by systematic and critical observation and experiment, and organized on a logical basis, there is no science of dreams or of unconscious life.

Psychology studied in the conscious action of human beings approximates to scientific certainty, but when unconscious action comes into play, difficulties multiply, and in some cases baseless and misleading speculations and conjectures, like those arising from "psycho-analysis," are the only result. Such things form a hot-bed for charlatanry and mysticism, and have an irresistible attraction for looselyknit minds that love the easy and the unspecific.

We can hardly experiment with dreams, since we are not able either to observe them critically or to analyze them logically while they are in progress, or to reproduce them at will. It is true that one often says to himself in the midst of a dream: "This is only a dream," and that implies at least partly critical attitude of the dreamer's mind, or of a part of his mind which seems to treat the other part, which is engaged in the dream-play, with the indulgence of an elder or more experienced brother looking on. In dreams of falling, for instance, I always have a feeling, lying back of the dream, that I shall come down all right.

Your singing in your sleep without any memory being left in your brain is analogous to the state of mind of the somnambulist who walks along a perilous edge or performs some other feat that would be impossible to him in the waking state, and on awaking has no recollection of what he did while asleep. It would seem that there is a distinction to be drawn between dreams, which may be described as purely mental phenomena, although they certainly do react to some extent on the motor nerves, and the effects of somnambulism, hypnotism and "double personality" where the subject in one of his states is unaware of what he did in the other. Dreams impress the memory more or less distinctly, though rarely or never do they leave as deep and lasting impressions in the brain as do the occurrences of waking life; while, on the other hand, bodily actions performed while the actor is in an unconscious state appear to make no records on the tablets of memory. In the second case there is, of course, some mental action, but it seems to discharge itself through the motor nerves, leaving no token in the brain cells. The incidents and scenes of a dream, on the other hand, occur entirely in the brain, and may, for that reason, impress the cells of memory more deeply.

In your sleep-singing it is probable that your surprised friends unconsciously exaggererated the excellence of the performance, although I believe that anybody who has any musical sense can intone a song much more perfectly in his mind than he may be able to render it with his voice.

Perhaps you sang better because you were free from trac (stage fright). Very likely, too, the song you sang you had often heard, though you had not consciously committed it to memory. As to your day-dreams of things beyond your wideawake comprehension, they may be connected with the the sleep-singing, but the relationship is not clear. Study yourself, make notes of these phenomena, try to get a critical view of them, and make them more definite.

Nearly, if not all, the mysteries that puzzle people would clear away if nobody would tamely consent to be puzzled, but everybody would subject his mental processes to self-analysis. "Know thyself," advised the old philosopher, and he might have added "for nobody else can."

More Truth Than Poetry

BY S. E. KISER

I've had a most successful day,
I'm feeling deeply satisfied;
I've turned a dozen men away,
And caused them to forget their pride.
One young solicitor who craved
A chance to say a word or two
Seemed much dejected when I waved
Him to the door, and shoved him through;
Discouraged by his lack of luck,
The poor fool wandered to the street
And threw himself beneath a truck—
A coward's way to take defeat!
I've notified old Marsh to quit;
It's something I've long had in mind;
He looked as if he felt hard hit,
But this is no place for the kind!
He should have gone five years ago.
And would, if I had been in charge;
How he'll get on now I can't know;
His savings can't be very large.
But this is not an old men's home,
And no asylum for the weak;
Now, like an old horse, he may roam,
Sad-eyed, worn out, and wan and meek.
I've put a flea in Baldwin's ear
Concerning Kitty, of the keys;
She went to lunch with Gregg, I hear—
Another of life's mysteries.
Well, let her have her poor young man,
And lose the lonely millionaire;
The turn of things has served my plan
And helped to make my outlook fair,
As Baldwin's wife she could have rolled
Some large obstructions in my way;
The mere truth wasn't all I told—
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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LUENHO, 2,868 Tons, Captain Woodget, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, December 13, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. SUISO, 4,835 Tons, Captain Jackson, will sail for the above-mentioned Ports from Hunt's Wharf on Monday, December 17, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S.N. Co.'s S.S. TOKWO, 3,770 tons, Captain Campbell, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, December 18, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Depart ments.

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Weather Report

Dec. 9.—A maximum extends on North China, a minimum on Nippon; low pressure to the South of Yap. Variable winds in the North. Regular monsoon in the South. Overcast weather fog and rain in the Valley and along the coast.

Dec. 10.—Overcast and foggy weather. Slightly falling barometer. Light NWly winds.

Information For Mariners

TUESDAY, DEC. 11, 1923

The day tide are higher than the night tides, they are nearly equal about 4 and 5 o'clock.

Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 3¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
2h. 4m.	8ft. 0in.	2h. 28m.	9ft. 7in.

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(The day tides are higher than the night tides.)

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Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Mon Rises	Mon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
9.29 a.m.	8.30 p.m.	6h. 49m.	4h. 57m.	6h. 4m.	5h. 42m.

Mean Barometric Pressure. December 769.0 mm. 30.28 in.

Shipping Items

RIVER PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Kiangshun left Hankow on Saturday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Wingsang is expected to return from Pukow today.

The I-C. s.s. Kungwo left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai next Friday.

The I-C. s.s. Loksang will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai next Friday.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai next Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Suiwo will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Whangpu will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Soochow left Hongkong on Friday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang left Hongkong on Saturday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Kanchow left Hongkong on Sunday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Taisang left Hongkong on Friday and is due in Shanghai via Swatow tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai next Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchang left Hongkong for Tientsin on Saturday morning.

The C.M. s.s. Hsean will leave Foochow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai next Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinkong left Foochow on Sunday and arrives in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Yusang will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai via Swatow on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Hosang is expected to leave Hongkong for Amoy and Shanghai next Friday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Heinfusg left Tientsin on Sunday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Shuntien left Tientsin on Sunday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Tungshing is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei today.

The I-C. s.s. Cheongshing left Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei, Hongkong and Canton on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Liangchow will leave Tsingtao today and is due in Shanghai next Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Wosang left Tsingtao for Hongkong on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Tingsang will leave Tientsin today and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei next Saturday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Gran (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Saturday and is due is Shanghai today.

The K.M.A. s.s. Hwahwu (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Saturday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The K.N.A. s.s. Shinon (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Sunday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The D.K.K. s.s. Sakaki Maru is due in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao tomorrow morning, and docks at the Whangpoo Wharf. The steamer will sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Omi Maru is due in Shanghai from Kobe and Moji tomorrow and docks at the N. Y. K. Mail Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nagasaki Maru is due in Shanghai from Nagasaki on Thursday morning, and docks at the Wayside Wha The vessel will sail for the sam port at daybreak Friday.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Torilla left Calcutta on Friday, December 7, and is expected in Shanghai via Rangoon and ports about January 2.

EUROPEAN LINES

The Ben Line s.s. Benarty left Hongkong on Saturday, and is expected in Shanghai tomorrow.

The P. and O. s.s. Kashgar left London at 2 p.m. on November 23, and is expected to arrived in Shanghai about January 2.

The P. and O. s.s. Morea was due to leave London on Friday, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about January 16.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Titan left Singapore on December 2 and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong tomorrow.

The P. and O. s.s. Devanha will leave Shanghai for London today, and the tender with passengers and hand baggage for the vessel is to leave the Customs jetty at noon.

The P. and O. s.s. Khiva, which docked at the Hongkew Wharf, will sail for Moji and Kobe at noon today.

The P. and O. s.s. Macedonia, from London on November 9, was expected to leave Singapore Sunday afternoon, and arrives in Shanghai via Hongkong on December 19.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Partroclus left Singapore on Friday, and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong on December 16.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Calchas left Kobe on Friday, and is due in Shanghai via Yokohama and Miike on December 16.

The Ben Line s.s. Benmacdhui left Penang on December 6, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Decemner 27.

The Ben Line s.s. Benavon left London on November 16, and is expected in Shanghai about January 10.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Autolycus left Dairen on Sunday and is due in Shanghai via Tsingtao tomorrow.

The Glen Line m.v. Glentara, from London, left Hongkong on Saturday evening, and is due in Shanghai tomorrow afternoon, docking at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf, Hongkew.

The M.M. s.s. Paul Lecat, from Marseilles on November 2 with mail, left Hongkong on Saturday evening, and arrives in Shanghai about 4 o'clock this afternoon, docking at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf.

AMERICAN LINES

The Dollar s.s. Virginia Dollar is due to leave San Francisco for the Orient on January 5.

The Dollar s.s. Harold Dollar is due to leave Portland for the Orient tomorrow.

The Dollar s.s. President Harrison is due to leave San Francisco for the Orient on January 5.

The Dollar s.s. President Hayes is due to leave San Francisco for the Orient on February 5.

The P.M. s.s. President Pierce is due to leave San Francisco next Thursday, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Honolulu and Japan ports on January 2.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Elkridge is due in Shanghai from Portland on January 3, and sails for the same port via Dairen on January 7.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Hannawa is due in Shanghai from Portland on Januar 5, and sails for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on January 7.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Wawalona is due in Shanghai from Portland on January 9, and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Takubar and Dairen on January 11.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West O'Rowa is due in Shanghai from Portland today, and sails for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on Thursday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison is due to leave Seattle next Sunday, and arrives in Shanghai via Japan ports on Jan. 2.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant,n from Seattle on December 4, should dock at Yokohama next Sunday, and arrives in Shanghai via Kobe on Dec. 21.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Asia is due at Yokohama from Vancouver this morning, and arrives at Woosung next Saturday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson, which arrived from Seattle last Sunday, changed its berth to the Standard Oil Wharf, Pootung, last evening, and sails for Hongkong and Manila late this morning. The tender with passengers for the vessel will leave the Customs jetty at 9 o'clock.

The P.M. s.s. President Cleveland will arrive in Shanghai from San Francisco via Honolulu and Japan ports tomorrow morning, and docks at the China Merchants' Central Wharf about 6:30 o'clock. The liner brings 322 bags of mail, a full passenger list, a big shipment of treasure and 1,800 tons of general cargo for this port, and will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Vessels Due

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Autolycus, *Dairen*	Dec. 12
Atsuta Maru, *Kobe*	Dec. 13
Benarty, *London*	Dec. 12
Chohei Maru, *Dairen*	Dec. 15
Calchas, *Kobe*	Dec. 13
Dakar Maru, *Kobe*	Dec. 12
E. of Asia, *Vancouver*	Dec. 15
Glentara, *London*	Dec. 12
Gran, *Chinwangtao*	Dec. 11
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Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	Dec. 12
Hsinkong, *Foochow*	Dec. 11
Hwahwu, *Chinwangtao*	Dec. 12
Kiangan, *Hankow*	Dec. 18
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Kiangwah, *Hankow*	Dec. 15
Kiangyu, *Hankow*	Dec. 16
Kiangyung, *Hankow*	Dec. 17
Liangchow, *Tsingtao*	Dec. 13
Loksang, *Hankow*	Dec. 14
Luenyi, *Hankow*	Dec. 14
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Luenho, *Hankow*	Dec. 12
Luchow, *Hongkong*	Dec. 18
Nagasaki Maru, *Nagasaki*	Dec. 13
Nikko Maru, *Osaka*	Dec. 16
Omi Maru, *Kobe*	Dec. 12
Orissa, *Calcutta*	Dec. 16
Pres. Jackson, *Hongkong*	Dec. 14
Pres. Taft, *Hongkong*	Dec. 14
Paul Lecat, *Marseilles*	Dec. 11
P. Cleveland, *S. Francisco*	Dec. 12
Poyang, *Hankow*	Dec. 12
Patroclus, *Liverpool*	Dec. 16
Saikio Maru, *Dairen*	Dec. 18
Shuntien, *Tientsin*	Dec. 12
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen*	Dec. 12
Shanghai Maru, *Nagasaki*	Dec. 17
Shinon, *Chinwangtao*	Dec. 13
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Soochow, *Hongkong*	Dec. 11
Suiwo, *Hankow*	Dec. 15
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Tungting, *Hankow*	Dec. 16
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Woosung, *Hankow*	Dec. 17
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S.S. "MANILA MARU" Jan. 12
FOR HONGKONG (DIRECT).
S.S. "MANILA MARU" Dec. 31
FOR NORTH CHINA PORTS. Tientsin and Dairen
S.S. "KOHOKU MARU" (Via Tsingtao) Dec. 10
S.S. "TAISHIN MARU" (Via Tsingtao) Dec. 12
FOR FORMOSA. For Keelung an Takao via Foochow.
S.S. "FUKUKEN MARU" Dec. 13
S.S. "KOHOKU MARU" Dec. 25
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E/Australia	Feb. 25	Mar. 12	E/Asia	Aug. 30	Sept. 15
E/Asia	Mar. 15	Mar. 31	E/Canada	Sept. 15	Sept. 29
E/Russia	Apr. 5	Apr. 21	E/Russia	Sept. 27	Oct. 13
E/Australia	Apr. 21	May 7	E/Australia	Oct. 13	Oct. 29
E/Asia	May 10	May 26	E/Asia	Oct. 25	Nov. 10
E/Russia	May 31	June 16	E/Canada	Nov. 10	Nov. 24
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Nikko Maru .....Dec. 19
Yamashiro Maru ....Dec. 22
FOR BOMBAY via HONGKONG.
Tamba Maru .....Dec. 24
FOR SEATTLE VIA VICTORIA B. C.
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AMBOISE	30th Nov.	20th Jan., 1924	18th Jan., 1924
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Dec. 14	9 p.m.	P. Jackson	Seattle	Dec. 31

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	10 a.m.	Devanha	Marseilles	Jan. 12
Dec. 12	8 p.m.	Helenus	Marseilles	

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11 a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Chita
Tsingtao	Today	9 p.m.	Fooshing
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	9 p.m.	Kingsing
Chefoo	Today	10.30 a.m.	Chili
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	9 p.m.	Irene
Chefoo	Today	9 p.m.	Fengtien
Chefoo and Dalny	Dec. 12	10.30 a.m.	Kwangse
Tsingtao & Dalny	Dec. 13	1.30 p.m.	Sakaki
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Dec. 15	8.30 a.m.	Shuntien

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Hongkong & Canton	Today	7.30 a.m.	P. Jefferson
Foochow	Today	10.30 a.m.	Hsinchi
Hongkong & Canton	Today	10 a.m.	Devanha
Amoy and Swatow	Today	8 a.m.	Sungshan Maru
Swatow	Dec. 12	10.30 a.m.	Sunning
Swatow	Dec. 12	9 p.m.	Wingsang
Hongkong & Canton	Dec. 12	8 p.m.	Helenus
Amoy	Dec. 13	11.30 a.m.	Ningpo
Amoy	Dec. 13	11.30 a.m.	Soochow
Hongkong & Canton	Dec. 13	11 a.m.	P. Cleveland
Swatow	Dec. 14	12.30 p.m.	Foochow

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train.
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train.
N. Zealand	Today	7.30 a.m.	P. Jefferson
Japan ports	Today	10 a.m.	Khiva
Japan ports	Dec. 12	10 a.m.	Kumano Maru
Japan ports	Dec. 13	8 p.m.	Nagasaki M
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Dec. 13	11 a.m.	P. Cleveland

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Dec. 12 — New York via Suez	M. S. Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Dec. 15 — San Francisco	†Pres. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Dec. 15 — Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 16 — Seattle	Yokohama Mar	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 18 — San Francisco	†Taiyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Dec. 19 — Portland, Ore.	W. O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
Dec. 19 — New York via Suez	Calchas	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 19 — Tacoma	Arabia M.	Jap. O.S.K.
Dec. 20 — Vancouver	C. Freighter	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 24 — Vancouver	†E. of Australia	Br. C.P.S.
Dec. 27 — Seattle	†P. Jefferson	AM. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 27 — San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Jan. 7 — New York	Havre Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Jan. 7 — Portland, Ore.	Elkridge	Am. Lumber Co.
Jan. 7 — Portland, Ore.	Hannawa	Am. Lumber Co.
Jan. 8 — Seattle	†P. Grant	AM. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 10 — San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Jan. 10 — New York via Suez	Peleus	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 11 — Portland, Ore.	Wawalona	Am. Lumber Co.
Jan 12 — Tacoma	Manila Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Jan. 12 — Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C. P. S.
Jan. 12 — Seattle	Kaga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 13 — San Francisco	Tenyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.
Jan. 17 — New York	Tatsuno Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 18 — New York	Elkton	Am. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 19 — San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Jan. 20 — Seattle	†P. Madison	AM. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 25 — San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Feb. 1 — Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 1 — New York via Suez	P. Harrison	Am. Dollar Co.
Feb. 4 — San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Feb. 9 — Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Feb. 29 — New York via Suez	P. Hays	Am. Dollar Co.

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Dec. 12 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 14 — Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 15 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 16 — Kobe	Alps Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Dec. 19 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 22 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 23 — Kobe, Yokohama	P. Lecat	Fr. M. M. Cie

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Dec. 11 noon London	†Devanha	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 13 — Hamburg, etc.	Helenus	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 14 — Hamburg, etc.	Dakar Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Dec. 15 — London	Atsuta M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 19 — Hamburg, etc.	Autolycus	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 21 — Liverpool	Ningchow	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 21 8.00 *Marseilles	†Chambord	Fr. M.M. Cie
Dec. 24 — Singapore	W. Faralon	Am. S. & B.
Dec. 25 — Rotterdam	Zoema	Dut. H. C. T. Co
Dec. 25 — London	†Kaiser-I-Hind	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 26 — Hamburg, etc.	Dardanus	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 26 — Liverpool,	Diomed	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 27 — Hamburg, etc.	†Kashima M	Jap. N. Y. K.
Dec. 27 — London	Glenapp	Br. G.L.E.A.
Jan. 3 — Hamburg	Hindenburg	Ger. H.S. Line
Jan. 3 — London	Patroclus	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 4 — Marseilles	†Paul Lecat	Fr. M. M. Cie
Jan. 7 — Hamburg, etc.	Menelaus	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 8 — London	†Khiva	Fr. M. M. Cie
Jan. 13 — Liverpool	Titan	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 15 — Bombay	Sicilia	Br. M. M. & Co.
Jan. 17 — Antwerp, etc.	Laomedon	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 18 — Marseilles	†A. Lebon	Fr. M. M. Cie
Jan. 22 — London	†Macedonia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 25 — Hamburg, etc.	Holstein	Ger. Mel. & Co.
Jan. 27 — Liverpool	Kt. Companion	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 23 — Rotterdam, etc.	Olderkerk	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Jan. 23 — Hamburg	Emil Kirdorf	Ger. H.S. Line
Jan. 31 — London	Mentor	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 1 — Marseilles	†Amboise	Fr. M.M. Cie
Feb. 2 — Antwerp, etc.	Alps Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Feb. 5 — London	†Kashgar	Br. M.M. & Co.
Feb. 15 — Marseilles	†Cordillere	Fr. M. M. Cie.
Feb. 19 — London	†Morea	Br. M.M. & Co.
Feb. 29. — Marseilles	†Angers	Fr. M.M. Cie
Mar. 4 — London	†Karmala	Br. M.M. & Co.
Mar. 18 — London	†Naldera	Br. M. M. & Co.
Apr. 1 — London	†Khyber	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Dec. 21 — Melbourne, etc.	†Tango Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 5 — Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.
Feb. 2 — Melbourne, etc.	†St. Albans	Br. M.M. & Co.
Feb. 27 Melbourne, etc.	†Eastern	Br. M. M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Dec. 11 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 11 5.00 Ningpo	Yuenshin	Chi. N. S. N. N.
Dec. 11 — Wenchow	Feiching	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 11 9.00 Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 11 — Foochow	Hsinchi	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 12 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. C.P.S.
Dec. 12 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 12 noon S. H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 12 — Hongkong, etc.	M. S. Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Dec. 12 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Dec. 13 1.00 Amoy	Ningpo	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 13 — Keelung, etc.	Fukuken Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Dec. 13 1.00 A. H'kong, C'ton	Soochow	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 13 D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Wingsang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 14 2.00 S. H'kong, C'ton	Foochow	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 15 — Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Dec. 15 D. L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 16 D.L. A. H'kong, C'ton	Kanchow	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 19 — Hongkong, Manila	W. O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
Dec. 21 — Hongkong, Manila	W. Chopaka	Am. S. & B.
Dec. 23 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Grant	AM. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 24 — Hongkong, Manila	W. Faralon	Am. S. & B.
Dec. 25 — Hongkong	Kaga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 26 — Hongkong, Manila	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Dec. 27 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S Co
Dec. 31 — Hongkong	Manila Maru	Jap. O.S.K.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Dec. 11 noon *Chefoo, Lungkow	Chihli	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 12 — Dairen, etc.	Taishin Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
Dec. 12 D.L. Tsingtao	Fooshing	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 12 D.L. Chefoo, Tientsin	Kingsing	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 12 noon Chefoo, Dairen	Kwangse	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 19 9.00 *Tsingtao Dairen	Pengtien	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 12 — Chefoo	Irene	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 13 2.00 Tsingtao ,Dairen	Sakaki M.	Jap. D.K.K.
Dec. 15 10.00 *W. C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 16 3.00 Tsingtao, Dairen	Chohei Maru	Jap. D.K.K.
Dec. 12 D.L. W. C'foo, T'tsin	Saikio Maru	Jap. D.K.K.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Dec. 11 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Changon	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 11 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 11 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 11 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 12 noon Wuhu	Hanyang	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 12 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wenchow	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 12 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Pingwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 12 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 13 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 13 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangshun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 13 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 14 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 14 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 15 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 16 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangtoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 17 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 17 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. J.M. & Co.
Dec. 17 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Whangpu	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 18 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 18 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 18 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tungting	Br. B. & S.

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Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
FNB	Nov. 8	Algol	Fr. Sloop
BNB	Nov. 30	Foxglove	Br. Gunboat
EEW	Nov. 7	Fushima	Jap. Gun-boat
	Dec. 10	Gnat	Br. Gunboat
McW	Mar. 23	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
N.S.N.B.	Nov. 30	Penguin	Am. Gun-boat
N.S.N.B.	Nov. 30	Pigeon	Am. Gun-boat
EEW	Nov. 30	Seta	Jap. Gun-boat
EEW	Nov. 26	Sumida	Jap. Gun-boat
1 C	Nov. 26	Sob. Carboto	Ital. Gun-boat
YTPDW	Nov. 21	Toba	Jap. Gun-boat
[illegible]	Dec. 4	Tsushima	Jap. Cruiser
YTPDW		Woodlark	Br. Gun-boat

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On Tuesday, December 11, 1923
Commencing at 10 a.m.

A Small Lot of Imported Ladies' Coats, Costumes, Dresses, Hats, Fancy Hand Bags, Lace, Etc., Etc.

SPECIAL FUR AUCTION
On Wednesday, December 12, 1923
Commencing at 10.30 a.m.
and Continuing at 2.30 p.m.

A Consignment of Superb Furs

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On Wednesday, December 12, 1923
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1 Cask Orange (Substantive Dye), 1 Cask Acid Scarlet, 1 Case Soape Yellow, 2 Tins Indigo, 1 Case Metal & Silver Watches (Damaged), 6 Bales British Army Blankets, 2 Pieces Velveteen, 1 Dozen Half Hose, 1 Case Toilet Cream, 1 Case Shoe Polish, 1 Case Rubber Shoes, 1 Case Fastenners, 1 Case Coat Hooks, 10 Paris Goggles with Coloured Glass, Picture Frames, Tin boxes, Aluminium Vessels, Electric Lamps, Glass Shades, Necklaces, Scissors, Lantern Plates, Portrait Films, Photographical Chemicals,

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9 Cases Clarets "Journu" Freres" St. Julien & "Chateau Lauriers"
3 Cases Ports "Clubland" Fine Old Tawny, "Clubland Extra Superior & "Clubland" White Port,
3 Cases Sherry "Clubland" Amontillado,
3 Cases Vermouth "French"—Pierre Corard & Cio & "Italian"—Luigi Morini,
5 Cases Contenseaux Aine XXX Brandy,
9 Cases Ond's Stone Gin,
2 Cases "Golden Guinea" Sparkling Muscatel,
20 Cases Champagne,

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Will sell by Public Auction within the premises

No. 19 Nanking Road
On Thursday, December 13, 1923
at 10 a.m.

Superior Household Furniture and Sundries

Comprising:—

HALL.—Teak mirror back hat and umbrella stand, Pictures, Ornaments etc.
DINING ROOM.—Carved walnut Mirror back Sideboard, Dinner Wagon, Extension dining table, Dining Chairs, Side table, Sofa, Arm Chair, Brass fender, Mantel mirror, Wall mirrors, Screen, Japanese Vases, Pictures, Tapestry curtains, E. P. Ware, Crockery & Glass ware etc.
CONTENTS OF 4 BEDROOMS.—Oak Bedroom Suite, Brass mounted Double and Single Bedsteads, Hospital Beds, Mirror door Wardrobes, Large Teak Wardrobe & Linen Cupboard combined, Mirror back Dressing tables, Chest of drawers, Washstands, Box sofa, Sofas, Arm Chairs, Rattan Chairs, Tables, Desks, Carpets, Rugs, Stoves, Accordeons, Woollen Blankets, Linen, etc., etc.

Pantry and Kitchen as usual
On view Wednesday, December 12th

MIDDLE SALESROOM

Useful Household Furniture and Sundries, Clothing, Etc.

On Thursday, December 13, 1923
Commencing at 10 a.m. and 2.30 p.m.

Comprising:—

Mirror back hat stand, Mirror back sideboard, American cloth covered sofa, White painted doll's house, Child's motor car DOUBLE & SINGLE IRON BEDSTEAD WITH WIRE AND OTHER MATTRESSES, Stair carpet, Bronze figures, with stand, Snuff bottles, Chinese scrolls, Child's bicycle, SALAMANDRE STOVES, CHILD'S PERAMBULATOR, Child's folding go-cart, Red AMERICAN CLOTH COVERED SPRING MORRIS CHAIR, Leather bags, and suit cases, Wooden trunks, VIOLIN WITH CASE, Trouser press, Golf bag with sticks, Hot water geyser, "Pansy" cooking range, Electric table fan, Tennis rackets with press, Air rifle, Mirror back dressing table, Oak stained single wooden bedstead with wire & 2 other mattresses, Large & Small heating stoves, Iron bath, DOUBLE BRASS BEDSTEAD WITH WIRE MATTRESS, Chinese porcelain vases, Porcelain toilet set, Child's rocking horse, Books, & Novels, and Ornaments etc., etc,

also

A Large assortment of Gent's & Lady's clothing Boots, and shoes, etc., etc,

Now on view

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No. 227 Avenue Dubail
(First house inside French Tram way Compound)
On Friday, December 14, 1923
Commencing at 10 a.m.

The whole of the

Superior Household Furniture and Sundries

Comprising:—

HALL.—Small Heating stove, Mahogany stained bevelled mirror back hat and umbrella stand, etc.
DRAWING ROOM.—Mahogany stained Suite; Couch, Arm chairs, square table, folding card table, Large Japanese carved cherry wood cupboard, Mahogany stained bookcase, Rattan furniture, oval centre table, electric table lamps, blackwood brass panel table screen, Books, tennis rackets, Pictures, Curtains, ornaments, Book shelf, blinds, etc., etc.
DINING ROOM.—Matting, Teak mirror back sideboard, teak cellarette, teak extension dining table, dining chairs, lamp shade, electric heater, hot plate, Teak teapoy, bamboo flower stands, glass ware, crockery, black stained cabinet, serge & soochow curtains, etc., etc.
CONTENTS OF 2 BEDROOMS.—Teak mirror door Wardrobes, Teak Marble top washstand, Teak large mirror back dressing table, Teak Chest of drawers, Teak Pedestals, White enenamelled Twin bedstead, Overmantle, Teak sewing table, Skin rugs, Reading lamps, Dressed doll, Rattan tables, rattan chairs, Vases, ornaments, curtains, etc., etc.
BATH ROOM.—Enamelled iron bath, wash basin, wall mirror, Electric stove, electric boiler, commode, shelf, etc., etc.
PANTRY AND KITCHEN.—Ice chest, "Pasteur" & "Berkefeld" Filters, Cupboard, table, aluminium utensils, etc., etc.

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1 Fine toned upright Piano, by Levegue & Thersen, Paris
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1 "Dover" Cooking Range

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Will sell by Public Auction in their Godown
NO. 40A KIANGSE ROAD
On Tuesday, December 11, 1923,
At 2.30 p.m. (Afternoon)
Piece-goods, general commodities, sundry cargo, sundry goods, etc.,

Consisting of:—

Special Lots
7 Cases Black venetians
4 Cases Woollen serge
30 Bicycles with accessories
100 Dozen pocket knives
1 Cases playing cards
31 Cases spittoons
950 Dozen cigarette cases
48 Gramophones

Sundry Lots
47 Dozen hair combs, 1 case mouth organs, 2 cases stewpans with covers, 1 case gelatine, a quantity of cigars, etc.,

Now on view.

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Auctioneers, Real Estate Agents, Adjusters, Appraisers and Coal Merchants

Will sell by Public Auction within their Salesroom
NO. 40A KIANGSE ROAD
On Wednesday, December 12th 1923,
At 10 a.m. (Forenoon)
Useful Household Furniture & Sundries, etc.

Comprising:—

Teakwood tapestry upholstered drawing room furniture, silk embroidered high screen, centre table, dark stained dining room suite with morocco leather covered chairs, oak stained bedroom furniture, mahogany stained marble top washstand, solid brass and iron double end single bedsteads, white enamelled wooden bedstead, Axminster and Tientsin carpets, Brussels stair carpets, cretonne curtain, perambulators, adding machine, gramophone and records, eider down quilt, woollen blankets, gent's and lady's clothing, sundries, etc.,

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Meteorological Report

SICAWEI

December 11, 1923.	Dec. 4.		Dec. 5.	
Sun rises today at 6.45	16 h.	21 h.	4 h.	9 h.
Sun sets today at 16.57				
Barometer (inches	30.43	30.46	30.40	30.43
(variation for 24 hours	—0.12	—0.16	—0.16	—0.16
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hours	—0.13	—0.13	—0.03	—0.03
Wind—Direction	ESE	ESE	ESE	ESE
Wind—Miles per hour	11.2	9.3	12.4	1.3
Temperature (Fahr.)	52°7	42°6	40°3	49°7
Humidity %	57	90	96	79
Nebulosity (0-10)	6	0	0	8
Rainfall, inches	—	—	—	—

SICAWEI ADJUSTED REPORT
December 4.

	Mean 1923.	24 hrs. variation.	Previous average (50 yrs.) same period.
Temperature (Min. 33°1)	30.51	—0.09	30.32
Temperature (Min. 34°0)			
(Fahr.) (Max. 60°8)	47°7	+2°3	45°4
Rainfall since January 1 (ending midnight)	39.83	0.00	44.40

Urges Study Of Chinese Tongue

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, Dec. 9.—In an address at the annual dinner of the Cambridge Chinese Students' Society last night, Mr. Chu Chao-hsin, the Chinese Minister, urged the students to continue to study Chinese and to go as deeply into it as they could. They would find it more useful in their future career than any foreign language.

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(*French Wireless through Reuter*)

Paris, Dec. 9.—Mr. Charles Cobham, the British airman, arrived at Brussels today from London on a motor-glider on 16 litres of petrol.

Passengers Departed

Per K.M.A. s.s. Kaiping for Chinwangtao: Mr. A. Haas, Miss C. Haas.

Per I-C. s.s. Kutwo for Wuhu: Mr. F. J. Mead; for Kiukiang: Mr. and Mrs. Drysdale and child, Mrs. W. R. Parkin, Mr. and Mrs. Reib and infant, Mr. J.H. Vogel; for Hankow: Messrs. H. C. Selle, Deveson, Unjenon, E. Newman, Mr. and Mrs. G. Robb.

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangan for Wuhu: Reverends V. Lateser, J. Mate, F. Otacgui, P. Annozabet, F. Dorronsoro, F. Lande.

Per C.M. s.s. Hsinchi for Foochow: Masters James L. Ford, A. Collins, J. Earl Hossard Harold, Brewster, Misses Helen Collins, Elizabeth and Majorie Belling, Eunice E. Smith, Margaret Boissonette, Melen Hosard.

Per C.N. s.s. Woosung for Hankow and ports: Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wemyss, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Hobart, Messrs. H. Fiene, R. Sgaw, M Keller.

Per P. and O. s.s. Soudan for Bombay: Mrs. G. H. Parkes; for Hongkong: Miss O. Peakin, Messrs. R. A. Herbold, R. Leich, P. Markham, A. Perlas, K. A. Stevens.

Steamers Arrived

December 9
Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo.
Hsin Peking from Ningpo.
Sungshan Maru from Swatow.
Tjimanoek from Java.
Kianghsin from Hankow.
Loongwo from Hankow.
Nganking from Hankow
Changon from Hankow.
Scala Shell from U.S.A.
Irene from Chefoo
Anlan from Hankow.
Taisoku Maru from Japan.
Paling Maru from aapan.
President Jefferson from Seattle
Foochow from Hongkong.

December 10
Taishin Maru from Foochow
Fooshing from Hongkong
Sunning from Hongkong
Tricentrol from .....
Pingwo from Hankow
Wenchow from Hankow.
Kiangteen from Hankow.
Nanyang Maru from Hankow.
H.M.S. Gant from Cruise.
Shanghai Maru from Japan
Fengtien from Tientsin.
Tachung from Foochow.
Kumano Maru from Japan.
Hakushin Maru from Tsingtao.
Victoria Maru from Hongkong.

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